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BIRTHS.

ALEXANDER—April 3, 1922, in Jerusalem, the wife of Dr. Alfred G. Alexander, C.M.S., Salt, Transjordania, of a daughter.

CRUMP—April 11, 1922, at Cloghran House, Mulhuddart, Co. Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. F. Crump, a son.

HARRIS—March 29, 1922, at Emmanuel Vicarage, Bolton, the wife of Rev. Arnold Harris, M.A., C.F., a daughter.

JOYNT—April 15, 1922, at The Crescent Manse, Dundalk, to Rev. G. A. and Mrs. Joynt, a daughter.

McCLELLAND—April 12, 1922, to Captain and Mrs. W. McClelland, 68 Kenilworth square, Rathgar, a daughter.

SWEENEY—April 15, 1922, at 52 High st., Holywood, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Sweeney, a daughter.

WARD—On Good Friday, 1922, at Hollymount, Wrightsbridge, to the Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Ward, Aghaduntuse, Clones, a son.

WATERS—April 15, 1922, at 21 Victoria rd., Todmorden, Liverpool, the wife of Dr. W. R. Waters, of a daughter.

WEST—April 17, 1922, at 19 William st., Sligo, to Mr. and Mrs. R. T. West, a son.

MARRIAGE.

PORTER and FLACK—April 17, 1922, at the church of St. Peter, Mancroft, Norwich, by the Rev. Canon J. J. Meyrick, M.A., Norman John Porter (Captain, R.E., T.F. Reserve), son of Frederick Alexander Porter, Pickie tce., Bangor, Co. Down, to Flora, daughter of the late Samuel Flack, of Galway.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 4.

BARRIE—April 18, 1922, at The Manor House, Coleraine, H. T. Barrie, M.P., Funeral to Coleraine cemetery to-morrow (Thursday) at 11.30 a.m. Friends please accept this intimation. No flowers, by special request.

BERRY—April 17, 1922, at 13 Clarinda Park, West, Dun Laoghaire, Mrs. Mary Teresa Berry, widow of Mr. John Berry, 142 Rathgar rd. R.I.P. Mass, 9 a.m., to-morrow (Thursday), at Saint Michael's Church. Funeral private.

BROWNE—April 17, 1922, at a Private Hospital, Dublin, Evelyn Susan Hamilton, eldest daughter of the late Major George Browne, D.L., Comber House, Londonderry.

CARLETON—April 17, 1922, at 2 Templemore a., Rathgar, Jemima, sixth daughter of the late Lieutenant Carleton, Morehampton rd. No flowers.

CLEARY—April 18, 1922, at her residence, 45 Rathfarn av., Dolphin's Barn, Dublin, Mrs. Elizabeth, relict of the late Pierce Cleary, Ballyraine, Kilmasagh. Ar deis De go raibh a h-anam. Funeral from St. James's Chapel for Kingsbridge, 9 o'clock a.m., to-morrow (Thursday), the 20th inst., arriving at Kilkenny Station 12 noon (new time), for interment at Kilmanagh. American and Australian papers please copy.

CLIBSORN—April 15, 1922, at Anner Park, Clonmel, Charles Edward Clibborn. Funeral to-day (Wednesday) to Killaloan Church.

CONOLLY—April 15, 1922, at her residence, 55 Hollybank av., Sandford, Eleanor Sarah Conolly. In Thy Presence is fullness of joy.

CRAWFORD—April 16, 1922, at Bombay, India, Robert Gordon (formerly Lieutenant, 3rd Battalion, Royal Irish Fusiliers), only child of the late William Crawford and Janie Crawford, and grandson of the late Thomas Gordon, Church st., Enniskillen.

DRURY—April 18, 1922, at her residence, 21 Belgrave West, Kingstown, Lalla Mary Drury, beloved wife of Colonel Drury, and daughter of the late Lieutenant-General H. V. Mathias, of Stanhoe, Hillingdon. Funeral private.

FITZGERALD POWELL—April 18, 1922, at 32 Beaufort Mansions, Chelsea, London, Fanny Powell, widow of Edward Fitzgerald Powell, Castlebar, Co. Mayo, aged 76. Funeral Service at St. Stephen's Church, Gloucester rd., London, S.W., on Friday, 10 o'clock.

GREANY—April 12, 1922, at 1 Vernon tce., Rathgar, Winifred, daughter of the late Patrick Greany, formerly of the City of Galway, aged 75 years. R.I.P. Interred in Glasnevin.

GRIFFIN—At her residence, Coolfancy, Margaret Griffin, aged 89 years. Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to-day (Wednesday) at 2 p.m. (summer time).

HENRY—April 13, 1922, after a short illness, Charles Francis Henry, 59 Anglesea st. Funeral took place to Mount Jerome April 18th.

KEARON—April 16, 1922, at her residence, 24 Kingshill, Arklow, Dorothy Godkin, aged 82, beloved wife of Richard Kearon. Funeral to Old Kilbride to-day (Wednesday), 2.30 p.m. No flowers, by request.

McCONNELL—April 18, 1922, at Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Mary E., widow of the late Henry McConnell, aged 80 years. Deeply mourned by her relatives and friends, children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. Funeral from Hospice (this (Wednesday) morning, at 10 o'clock, to Glasnevin.

MARTIN—April 10, 1922, Rebecca, daughter of the late Robert Martin, Castle Jane, Co. Cork.

MOSSERY—April 17, 1922, at his residence, 5 Anglesea st., Clontarf, Richard Mossery, Dental surgeon, aged 61. Funeral to-day (Wednesday), 1/30, noon.

O'SHAUGHNESSY—April 16, 1922, at his residence, 85 Donore av., S.C.R., Dublin, John O'Shaughnessy, late of Guinness's Brewery. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing son and daughters. R.I.P. Funeral from above address this (Wednesday) morning at 10.30 o'clock, to Glasnevin Cemetery. American papers please copy.

PATTERSON—April 17, 1922, at 12 Nottingham st., Dublin, William Patterson, late of Messrs. Sunderland Dublin and General S.S. Company. Deeply mourned by brother, sisters, and family. "I heard the voice of Jesus say: come unto Me and rest." Funeral private. Scottish and English papers please copy.

REEVE—April 14, 1922, at Adelaide Hospital, from heart failure, Francis Reeve, in his 58th year.

SAVILLE—April 17, 1922, at Ashwood, Arklow, Matthew Saville, aged 62. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday), at 1 o'clock, to Old Kilbride, Arklow.

Father, in Thy gracious keeping
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SHAW—April 12, 1922, suddenly, at her residence, Rushcreen, Ballysokeery, Ballina, Co. Mayo, Anne Shaw (Coulter), aged 68 years.

TONER—On Easter Sunday, 1922, at Station House, Oldcastle, Mary, beloved wife of Philip Toner, to the inexpressible grief of her husband, son, and daughter. R.I.P. Funeral from Oldcastle Station to-day (Wednesday), thence to Monamolin. Office and High Mass at 11 o'clock to-day (Wednesday). Interment immediately after.

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There was some brisk wagering on the Spring Hurdle Plate, which served as a curtain raiser, with Golden Hero and Sunny Bird commanding most support. Of the two, the first-named did best, and when Dundonald retired beaten between the last two hurdles he looked all over a winner, but a little further on Red Hussar took his measure, and the latter's victory was readily achieved. Mr. Whelan's horse thus was not long about supplementing the success he gained on the flat at Powerstown Park recently, and, a proficient jumper, he should earn further distinction at hurdling. A big field turned out for the Scurry Plate, but the numerical strength of the opposition did not deter the connections of the good-looking First House from taking a comparatively short price about him, his stable companion, Bachelor's Sketch, who was at one time favourite, meanwhile drifting out to sixes. Mermaid flattered for a long way, but First House was always travelling the easier, and, taking command a furlong out, scored in very decisive fashion, third place being occupied by Tune, who did best of the top-weights.

They were not taken on the whole, a particularly good-looking lot that contested the Juvenile Stakes, and on the strength of her second to Lady Elaine at Phœnix Park last month, Princess Jabby was installed a hot favourite from Great Pet, who, it will be remembered, won at the meeting just alluded to. The pair ran neck and neck for the last couple of furlongs, but at the half-distance Princess Jabby, who had been running a trifle green, got her head in front and looked like retaining command. Great Pet, however, would not be denied, and, struggling on gamely, got up in the last stride to make a dead-heat. As two-year-olds are debarred by the rules from running off a decider, a division of the spoils was compulsory.

We were treated to another exhilarating finish for the Madrid Plate, the handicap for which was made last November, and the compiler of the weights must have viewed the concluding stages of the race with complacency. It was a desperately exciting affair, and fifty yards from the post the proverbial sheet would have covered the leading four. Princess Georgie would probably have taken the spoils had she not swerved close home, and Aquilegia lost ground through being shut in, and in the Barrack-ton had, served by stronger jockeyship, pulled through by a head from Red Or, short heads dividing the other pair.

Duty Calls, who was backed down to evens in a field of fifteen for the Curragh Plate, never left the issue of Heavy race in doubt; but his stable companion, Green Sea, failed to realise expectations in the Citizens' Plate, which Boyne Bridge won, after a pretty set-to with Queen of Gypsies. Emphatic, Carthage, and Neil Day, who were some distance behind the leaders at the time, fell a furlong from home, and E. M. Quirke, the rider of the last-named, appeared to sustain a severe shaking. Details:—

1.30—**THE SPRING PLATE** of 500 sovs. A hurdle race. 1¼ m.

Mr. Jos. Whelan's ch. g. RED HUSSAR, by Bachelor's Double—Monaleen, 5, 10-7 ..... C. Aylin 1
Mr. D. Sullivan's GOLDEN HERO, 5, 10-2 ..... P. Grace 0
Capt. Shirley's DICTATION, 4, 9-11 P. Fleming 2
Mr. T. N. Perry's Rapscallion, 4, 10-3 ..... M. Connors 0
Mr. J. J. Moore's H.R.H., 5, 10-12 ..... Jos. Doyle 0
Mr. J. George's Dinis, 4, 10-7 ..... D. Ward 0
Mr. J. Dunne's Slovenly Saint, 5, 10-2 M. Keogh 0
Lord Kenmare's Red City, 5, 10-7 ..... P. Meany 0
Mr. A. J. Nugent's Sunny Bird, 4, 10-9 ..H. Beasley 0
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Betting—5 to 1 agst. Golden Hero, 4 to 1 Sunny Bird, 6 to 1 RED HUSSAR, 7 to 1 Dinis, 8 to 1 each Dundonald, H.R.H., and Misty Bridge, 10 to 1 Rapscallion, 20 to 1 any other.

Dundonald and Dinis made the joint running from Golden Hero, Sunny Bird, H.R.H., Slovenly Saint, and Red Hussar, with Rapscallion last. So they remained until approaching the second-last hurdle, when Golden Hero took command, but was quickly challenged by Red Hussar, who, drawing to the front before the final obstacle, jumped it in fine style, and, heading Golden Hero home, won by a length and a half. Sunny Bird, third, H.R.H. sixth, Dundonald seventh, and Dinis fifth.

2.0—**SCURRY PLATE** of 200 sovs. A handicap for 6f. 63 yds.

Mr. W. Parrish's ch. g. FIRST HOUSE, by Holiday House—Alpha, 4, 9-7 ..... H. Beasley 1
Mr. C. F. Kenyon's MERMAID, 5, 6-13 (car. 7-3) ..... T. Burns 2
Mr. H. McAlinden's TIME, 4, 9-7 ..... P. Cullen 3
Capt. Shirley's Red Rhetoric, 5, 9-10 ..... T. Burns 3
Mr. Dixon's Lisvarna, 4, 8-13 ..... Wing 0
Mr. Tim McCarthy's Galtee Boy, 5, 8-8 E. Quirke 0
Mr. D. Moloney's Marengo IV, 5, 8-8 ..... Dines 0
Mr. J. Rogers' Mint Sauce, 4, 8-8 ..... Hamshere 0
Mr. H. Brophy's Remember, 3, 8-5 ..... Jos. Harty 0
Mr. T. Fletcher's Trim Gate, 5, 7-11 ..... J. Quirke 0
Mr. Jno. Doyle's Aquilegia, 5, 6-13 ..... W. Farrell 0
Mr. J. Doyne's Drink-Less, 4, 6-13 ..... Cullen 0
Mr. Miss Cobb's Most Noble, 5, 7-4 ..... M. Ward 0
Mr. Jas. Dalton's Malinda, 5, 7-4 ..... Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. A. B. Coyle's Bachelor's Sketch (car. 7-4) ..... Lambert 0
Mr. M. O'Mara's Rahreedulf, 6, 7-2 (car. 7-5) ..... Pattman 0
Mr. W. F. Power's Flying Lil, 3, 6-9 ..... P. Fitzgerald 0

(Winner trained by Grundy.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. FIRST HOUSE, 6 to 1 each Remember and Bachelor's Sketch, 7 to 1 each Time, Mermaid, and Red Hussar, 100 to 8 any other.

Rahreendulf led from First House, Battina, Red Rhetoric, Time, and Mermaid with Lisvarna, Golden Boy, and Aquadnicis at the head of the others, for a quarter of a mile, when Mermaid moved to the front, followed by First House and Golden Boy. Inside the distance First House was challenged, and, running home with two lengths; a length separated second and third. Galtee Boy was fourth, Red Rhetoric fifth, Aquadnicis sixth, Most Noble seventh, Flying Lil eighth, and Lisvarna next.

2.40—**JUVENILE STAKES** of 300 sovs. For two years old. 5f.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's b.f. PRINCESS JABBY, by The Jabberwock—First Princess, 8-5 ..... M. Quirke 1
Mr. D. J. Cogan's ch.f. GREAT PET, by Great Sport—Queen's Hope, 8-5 ..... Dines 2
Capt. Dixon's POTTINGER, 8-10 ..... M. Ward 3
Major Dixon's Ballyalton, 9-0 ..... Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers' Penetrate, 9-0 ..... Hourihan 0
Mr. H. Beasley's Christian King, 8-9 (car. 8-7) ..... W. Beasley 0
Mr. H. Delaforce's Treble Applause, 8-9 ..... Pearse 0
Mr. C. Brabazon's County Alcy, 8-9 ..... Jos. Harty 0
Major Dixon's Stormont, 9-0 ..... Jas. Canty 0
Miss M. Hayes' Buachaill Breach, 8-9 ..... Jas. Canty 0
Mr. J. H. Locke's Entangler, 8-5 ..... Fitzgerald 0
Mr. J. Lorigan's Crafty Bits, 8-5 ..... H. Beasley 0
Col. MacCabe's Little Curragh, 8-5 ..... Burns 0

Dead heat. Stakes divided.

(Great Pet trained by Rice; Princess Jabby by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. PRINCESS JABBY, 4 to 1 GREAT PET, 6 to 1 Stormont, 7 to 1 Pottinger, 100 to 8 Entangler, 100 to 6 any other.

Entangler began slowly, and Count Algy jumped off in front of Princess Jabby, Great Pet, Ballyalton, Crafty Bits, Little Curragh, and Pottinger. After a couple of furlongs, Count Algy dropped back, and Great Pet drew into the lead, closely attended by Princess Jabby, Pottinger, and Little Curragh. The two first-named singled themselves out below the distance, and ran home a great race, which ended in a dead heat, Pottinger being third, three lengths off. Little Curragh was fourth, Stormont fifth, Entangler sixth, Penetrate seventh, and Buachaill Breach next.

3.10—**THE MADRID PLATE** of 300 sovs. A handicap for three years old. 1 m.

Mr. John O'Callaghan's br. c. BARRACKTON ..... Owner 6 9 10
Major Cape's RED OR, 7-5 ..... Jas. Doyle 2
Mrs. Rankin's PRINCESS GEORGIE, 7-5 ..... T. Burns 1
Mr. Jos. Walsh's Prospective Chap, 8-0 ..... Lambert 3
Mr. T. G. Fletcher's O'Malley Mor, 7-11 E. Quirke 0
Major Giles Leder's Sagittarius ..... A. Barrett 0
Mr. G. Personne's Lilian's Pet, 7-9 ..... Farrell 0
Mr. T. F. Kenyon's Tilstock, 7-5 ..... P. Cullen 0
Mr. K. Kennedy's Minimus, 7-5 ..... Pattman 0
Mr. G. Mohan's Rock Daniel, 7-2 ..... Dwyer 0

Winner trained by P. Behan.

Betting—5 to 2 agst. BARRACKTON and Aquilegia, 6 to 1 each Princess Georgie, Red Or, and Prospective Chap, 20 to 1 any other.

Princess Georgie made the running from Aquilegia, Barrachon Lad, Red Or, Tilstock, and Prospective Chap, for nearly six furlongs, when the four leaders took order, and in an exciting finish Barrachon Lad won by a head from Red Or, with Princess Georgie a short head off third, and Aquilegia a like distance away fourth. Tilstock was fifth, and Prospective Chap next.

3.40—**CURRAGH PLATE** of 100 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 6f. 63 yds.

Mr. W. Parrish's b. f. DUTY CALLS, by Spearmint—Tuppenceha'penny ..... P. Cullen 0
Mr. P. Monahan's SUNNYRAY, 3, 7-10 ..... Dines 1
Jno. Doyle 2
Mr. W. Murphy's SLOGAN, 3, 7-10 ..... Pearose 3
Capt. Dixon's Knockbunce, 5, 9-0 ..... Wing 0
Mr. A. Coen's St. Phelim, 4, 8-12 ..... Jos. Canty 0
Mr. W. A. Wallis's Cheerful Frank, 4, 8-12 ..... Jamison 0
Mr. R. B. Henry's Taithill, 4, 8-12 ..... F. Hunter 0
Mr. N. M. Grene's Tender Prospects, 3, 7-10 ..... Lambert 0
Mr. D. B. McKenna's Uncle Dacie, 3, 7-10 ..... P. Cullen 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Jabberlock, 3, 7-10 (car. 7-11) ..... E. Quirke 0
Capt. Wyndham Quin's Palmagreen, 3, 7-10 ..... M. Ward 0
Mr. J. G. Lynch's Tullyleake, 3, 7-10 ..... H. Lee 0
Mr. T. J. O'Neill's Consulator, 3, 7-10 ..... Doyle 0
Mr. S. Lowry's Amgoorie, 3, 7-5 (£100) ..... W. Tracy 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Orphan Boy, 3, 7-3 (£100) ..... Fitzgerald 0

(Winner trained by Grundy.)

Betting—Evens DUTY CALLS, 6 to 1 agst. Sunnyray, 8 to 1 each Orphan Boy, Knockbunce, and Slogan, 10 to 1 any other.

Cheerful Frank came on from Duty Calls, Uncle David, Knockbunce, Sunnyray, and Orphan Boy, for two furlongs, when Duty Calls assumed command, followed by Sunnyray, and, making the remainder of the running, the favourite won easily by four lengths; two lengths divided second and third. Cheerful Frank was fourth, Knockbunce fifth, Sunny Lake sixth, Jabberlock seventh, Pallasgreen eighth, Uncle David ninth, and Tallhill next.

4.10—**CITIZENS' PLATE** of 100 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 1½ m.

Mr. H. J. Kirwan's b. c. BOYNE BRIDGE, by Bridge of Earn—Hackline, 3, 8-7 ..... T. Burns 1
Mr. P. F. Adams' QUEEN OF GYPSIES, 6, 8-9 ..... Pateman 0
Mr. W. Parrish's GREEN SEA, 5, 8-9 H. Beasley 3
Mr. W. Shaw's Neil Day, 3, 9-0 ..... J. Quirke 0
Mr. John J. Gordon's Emphatic, 3, 8-0 ..... E. Quirke 0
Sir G. S. Murray's Carthage, 4, 7-7 ..... J. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. D. O'Callaghan's Miss Phœnix, 5, 7-7 ..... M. Ward 0
Mr. T. J. O'Neill's Octabella's Pride, 5, 7-7 ..... M. Keogh 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Jabby, 3, 7-7 ..... D. Quirke 0
Mr. W. Parrish's Ireland Green, 3, 7-7 Jos. Harty 0
Mr. W. F. Power's Wanfate, 3, 7-7 ..... T. Cullen 0

(Winner trained by Moss.)

Betting—Evens Ireland Green, 5 to 1 agst. BOYNE BRIDGE, 10 to 1 any other.

Jabby made the running from Queen of Gypsies, Green Sea, Ireland Green, and Boyne Bridge, for half a mile, when Queen of Gypsies drew to the front, followed by Green Sea and Boyne Bridge. Two furlongs from home Boyne Bridge took second place, and, heading Queen of Gypsies close home, won by half a length; three lengths divided second and third, Ireland Green was fourth, Miss Phœnix fifth, Wanfate sixth, and Octabella's Pride seventh. Neil Day, and Emphatic fell a furlong from home.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

THE IRISH 1,000 GUINEAS.

So far as could be learned on the course yesterday, there will be very few runners for the Irish One Thousand Guineas, which will be run for the first time to-day, and it does not promise anything like as interesting a race as the April Stakes. The "Guineas" may be left to

PEARL ASH,

who showed smart form last year. Class will be well represented in the April Stakes, the probable runners for which are:—

Mr. C. L. Mackean's SOLDENNIS, 4, 9-13 ..... H. Beasley.
Capt. Shirley's ESSEXFORD, 4, 9-9 ..... M. Wing.
Lord Kenmare's SOLIMAN'S ORB, 3, 8-10 ..... T. Burns.
Mr. D. Barnett's BON SECOUR, 3, 8-7 .....
Mr. P. Cullinan's CROWDENNIS, 4, 7-13 .....
Mr. F. Bellaney's DESMOND DALE, 3, 7-10 .....
Mr. J. Daly's POLEMIC, 3, 7-5 .....
Soldennis is set a formidable task to give such as Crowdennis 2stlb., a task which will probably prove beyond his compass, and Desmond Dale may give most trouble to

CROWDENNIS.

Other selections are appended:—

Paddock Plate—**Lady Elaine** or **Golden Boss.**
Maddenstown Plate—**Molly O.**
Visitors' Plate—**Belsize;** if absent, **Sharp Caroline.**
Stand Plate—**Celtic Mist.**

1.30—PADDOCK PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old. 5f.

	st. lb.
LADY ELAINE (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) ..... McKenna	5 9
BRIDGEMORE (Mr. W. Chapman) ..... Private	9 0
GOLDEN BOSS (Mr. H. Hartigan) ..... Private	9 0
LIVING MACHINE (Mr. Jno. Bass) ..... Behan	9 0
LANDER (Mr. Wm. Macrory) ..... Owner	9 0
AQUILON (Mr. C. Kenyon) ..... Owner	9 0
SWEET KILDARE (Mr. M. Kenyon) ..... McKenna	9 0
THE GARROWORES (Mr. T. Singleton) ..... Brooks	9 0
SHY MAN ..... Private	9 0
TEMPLEYON (Major O'Maller-Keyes) ..... Parkinson	9 0
LIEUTENANT M. (Mr. J. Boyne) ..... Owner	9 0
BLACK HALL (Mr. J. J. Rogers) ..... Owner	9 0
GOLDEN LAND (Mr. T. Rogers) ..... Owner	9 0
CHARLEROI (Mr. J. O'Neill) ..... Coombs	9 0
TOO RICHY (Mr. P. Brophy) ..... Owner	9 0
MULLAGHEARA-ROO (Mr. P. FitzGerald) ..... Parkinson	9 0
WHITETHREAD (Mr. R. Adamson) ..... Tierney	8 9
SHIPRAH (Mr. J. J. Byrne) ..... McKenna	8 9
LADY EDGAR (Mr. J. Cooper) ..... Downes	8 9
MAY EDGAR F., by Zinc (Mr. P. Cullinan) ..... M. Ward	8 9
POTTINGER (Capt. Dixon) ..... Parkinson	8 9
LADY MARTIN (Mr. E. Dowling) ..... Behan	8 9
GROFAST (Mr. P. Gill) ..... Macsha	8 9
FAR DAY (Mr. H. Gray) ..... Behan	8 9
KOMORE (Mr. J. Farrigan) ..... Behan	8 9
MARY RUTTER (Mr. M. Hogan) ..... Owner	8 9
MARTEN-WING (Mr. H. Hewkins) ..... Owner	8 9
DEIRDRE (Mr. P. Kirwan) ..... Behan	8 9
TWENTY-LIGHT (Mr. J. Mullis) ..... Behan	8 9
IRISH PEACE (Mr. E. Mullis) ..... Owner	8 9
PANCAKE HOUSE (Mr. M. Rankin) ..... Owner	8 9
MOHCZANNA (Mrs. Sikes) ..... Owner	8 9
LUCULLUS (Mr. T. Blackman) ..... Parkinson	8 9

2.0—MADDENSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 1m.

	Age st. lb.
GINGER WINE (Mr. R. H. Walker) (£100) ..... Owner	a 9 10
KNIGHT OF GREENANE (Mr. ..... Owner	a 9 10
Grubaxe (£100) ..... Parkinson	6 8 12
EXPRESSION (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ..... Parkinson	6 8 12
LADY KILMARTEN (Mrs. Healy) (£100) ..... Healy	4 7 11
LAND OF SUN (Mr. J. S. Grubaxe) ..... Reidy	4 7 11
WAVING FEATHER (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Parkinson	3 7 7
LOWFORD (Mr. W. Parrish) ..... Parkinson	3 7 7
MOLLY O (Mr. W. O'Driscoll) ..... Grundy	3 7 7
CLYBRIDGE (Mr. T. Cullinan) (£100) ..... Owner	3 7 7
OVER LAND (Mr. J. Dwyer) (£100) ..... Owner	3 7 7
GOOD OUTLOOK (Mr. P. Vyse) (£100) ..... Vyse	3 7 7
KILDEVIN (Mr. P. P. O'Reilly) (£100) ..... Fetherston	3 7 7

2.40—VISITORS' PLATE of 200 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 5f.

	Age st. lb.
GRAND LAD (Mr. C. T. Wallis) ..... Malpas	6 9 10
DUTY CALLS (Mr. W. Parrish) ..... Arnott	3 9 12
BELSIZE (Mr. F. W. Stokes) ..... Grundy	3 9 12
CHEERFUL FRANK (Mr. W. A. Wallis) ..... Parkinson	3 9 9
SHARP CAROLINE (Sir John Arnott) ..... MacCabe	4 9 2
IVYDENE (Mr. P. J. Munden) ..... MacCabe	3 8 12
BEGGAR'S OPERA (Mr. P. P. Webb) ..... Owner	3 8 12
CONNAUGHTAGH (Mr. N. White) ..... Owner	3 8 11
PILLOW SLIP (Mr. T. Singleton) ..... Owner	4 8 11
LEVANDALE (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) ..... Owner	6 8 11
GLEAM OF HOPE (Mrs. D. Moloney) ..... Owner	4 8 11
TAMACNA (Mr. P. W. Shaw) ..... Rodgers	4 8 7
BARHAMORE (Mr. J. H. Locke) ..... Brabazon	5 8 7
MARCHAWAY (Mr. J. Pullen) ..... Glynn	5 8 7
MADDEN'S ..... Mr. F. McCartan	Mooney 4 8 7
FLEETING PROSPECT (Maj. ..... Fetherston	3 8 7
Master) ..... Owner	3 8 7
HERMANDA (Mr. N. J. Grene) ..... Owner	3 8 7
GLADMERE (Mr. J. Brangan) ..... Moss	3 8 7
F. BY KING BRIAN—Alice Mr. Kenyon) ..... Owner	3 8 7
SHIPREAH (Mr. J. J. Byrne) ..... McKenna	2 7 7
FAR MERRIER (Mr. T. J. O'Neill) ..... Downes	2 7 7

3.10—THE IRISH 1,000 GUINEAS. By subscription of 20 sovs. each, half forfeit for those struck out on Jan. 4th, 1922, and only for those struck out on June 1st, 1921. For three years old fillies.

	st. lb.
WILD MINT (Mr. E. Whinerar) ..... Cottrill	9 0
PEARL ASH (Mr. D. W. Barnett) ..... Rankin	9 0
BESSEMA (Mr. A. Parley) ..... Day	9 0
MITYLENE F., by Bachelor's Double—M. Day	9 0
(Gilpin) ..... Archibald	9 0
BRAMSHOT F., by Dalmatian—Adieu (Mr. Rodgers) ..... Owner	9 0
EL OBEID (Col. F. Blacker) ..... Owner	9 0
VESTA (Mr. W. O. Carr) ..... Owner	9 0
ATHENE ..... Owner	9 0
MISS HAZLEWOOD (Capt. R. Daly) ..... Reidy	9 0
DORA IRLANDA (Mr. P. F. Quaile) ..... Peard	9 0
SINGLE MISS (Mr. P. P. Gilpin) ..... Gilpin	9 0
AZUCENA F., by Juggernaut (Mr. P. T. Gilpin) ..... Gilpin	9 0

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GREAT METROPOLITAN

MISHAP TO LE ROI.

The attendance for the Great Metropolitan was not adversely affected by the fact that the meeting followed the Easter holidays, but there has rarely been a larger company. It was a representative gathering, amongst those present being Captain Howard, the Secretary of the Calcutta Turf Club, which body organises the famous Derby sweepstakes. Evidence of the enterprise of the new management was forthcoming in the state of the course. Much care had evidently been expended on the turf, and never has it been so good, and this will be all the more apparent when the Derby has to be run.

The principal event proved rather a fiasco, so far as the favourite, Le Roi, was concerned. To the amazement of his supporters, the colt appeared unable to go with the leaders at the contest, and coming down the hill Elliott appeared to be endeavouring to pull him up. The incident occurred half a furlong or so from the finish, when the horse was seen to slip completely round, and the jockey was thrown violently to the ground. He had to be carried back, but soon came round, with nothing worse than a bruised face. That Le Roi should have shown won but for the mishap appeared to be Adorna finishing third, for at Newmarket, on 5lb. more terms, Le Roi had been Adorna many lengths, so far as winning was concerned. As the race was run nothing had the least chance with the Santoi colt, Sangrail, for, settling down in front, he was never headed, and though that Jack was leading on gamely and strongly enough he could make no impression. The winner was ridden by the Epsom boy, T. Morgan, who scored his first riding success two years ago when winning this same race on Vladimir, both at 20 to 1.

There were several wholly unexpected results, apart from that of the principal event, the Surrey Handicap being taken by the 100 to 7 chance, Double Court. The race had been regarded as good business for Precious, but as a fact Gray's mount was most unlucky, being bumped and hopelessly shut in quite early on. Double Court was saddled by the local trainer, S. Wootton, who earlier had won the Prince of Wales's Plate with his own horse, Black Mask. The Brocklesby winner, Black Mask, had no penalty in the Tattenham Plate, but like others of the stock of Black Jester may not be too generous, though Donoghue, always good to follow here, got much the best of the start on the winner.

Monarch is particularly well for the City and Suburban, and is expected to reverse the Lincoln positions with Granely and win. Details:—

1.30—**THE PRINCE OF WALES' PLATE** (h'cap). £200. For three-year-olds. Second, £20. 7 f. Mr. S. Wootton's ALLURE, by Lemberg—Aunt Hetty, 6-2 ..... Morgan 1
Mr. M. Pringle's STREAK OF LIGHT, 6-11 ..... Lynch 2
Maj. McCalmont's COLEBY, 6-2 (car. 6-7) ..... Donoghue 3

Also ran—Wittol, 8-1 (Donoghue); Lolex, 7-5 (Elliott); Bar Gold, 7-13 (Gray); Posados, 6-13 (Eyre); Crimseur, 6-13 (Wells); Chaparral, 6-12 (Robertson); Kilgrastan, 6-12 (Robertson); Brandy-ball, 6-4 (Rumers); Granuson, 6-2 (O'Donnell). Betting—5 to 1 Allure, Wittol, 5 to 1 ALLURE, 7 to 1 each Lolex and Streak of Light, 8 to 1 each Brandy-ball and Granuson, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by a length; a neck separated second and third.

2.5—**THE TATTENHAM PLATE,** £200, for two-year-olds ..... Donoghue 1

Mrs. S. Whitburn's NAINE, by Bachelor's Double—Queen of the Earth, 8-11 ..... Donoghue 1

Mr. H. Dickson's PRAIRIE OYSTER ..... Piper 2

Sir E. Loder's OWER'S LIGHT, 9-0 ..... Gardner 3

Also ran—Queen's Knight, 9-0 (Evans); Mask, 9-0 (Bullock); Woodlark, 8-11 (Fox); Muslin C., 8-0 (car. 8-2) (Smith); Black Jester, 8-0 (Whitaker); Bay Mac, 8-0 (car. 8-1) (Dooley). Betting—7 to 4 on Black Mask, 4 to 1 agst. NAINE. Won by five lengths; three lengths separated second and third.

2.40—**FIRST SURREY HANDICAP.** A sweepstakes, £140 each, with £300 added. Second £50. 5 f.

Mr. J. Verson's b. c. DOUBLE COURT, by Bachelor's Double—Vantage, 4, 7-8 ..... Morris 1
Duke of Portland's NEEDLE EYE, 4, 7-7 (car. 7-9) ..... Gray 2
Lord Carnarvon's MALKA, 5, 8-0 ..... R. Jones 3

Also ran—Tetrameter, 5, 8-8 (Carstairs); Miss (H. Whatley); Piraeus, 4, 8-3 (Bullock); Glenstella, 4, 7-13 (Piper); Thelma, 4, 7-12 (Grey); Orno, 4, 7-2 (Wells); Westcliff, 4, 7-2 (car. 7-4) (Lister); Loch Maree, 5, 7-1 (Robertson); Fleur de Lis, 4, 7-1 (Robertson); Entente Cordiale, 5, 7-0 (Morgan).

Betting—2 to 1 each Miss Majority and Malka, 5 to 1 each Tetrameter and Western Hill, 100 to 7 DOUBLE COURT, or any other.

Won by a length; two lengths separated second and third.

3.15—**THE GREAT METROPOLITAN STAKES** (handicap). £15 each, with £2,000 added. Second £500, third £225. About 2¼ m.

Mr. J. Benson's ch. c. SANGRAIL, by Santoi—Marie Lloyd, 4, 6-11 ..... Morgan 1
Mr. G. J. Pierino's FLINT JACK, 5, 8-5 ..... G. Smith 2
Mr. R. Day's ADORNA, 5, 6-9 ..... F. L. Bullock 3
Lord Derby's Bucks, 4, 8-10 ..... Bullock 0
Lord Denman's Halberdier, 6, 8-4 (car. 8-5) ..... Smyth 0
Mr. C. R. Baron's Arravale, 3, 8-4 ..... Donoghue 0
Mr. F. Ingram's Envy Scholar, 3, 8-3 ..... Leach 0
Mr. H. H. Aga Khan's Lakers, 5, 8-2 ..... Holme 0
Mr. Michselinson's Rock Dew, 3, 7-9 ..... Beary 0
Mr. J. M. Parker's Rivetter, 6, 7-7 ..... Morris 0
Mr. J. de Rothschild's Tishy, 4, 7-5 ..... Elliott 0
Mr. P. Gilpin's Kingston Hill, 6, 7-5 (car. 7-6) ..... Morgan 1
Mr. H. Lines's Featherstone, 5, 7-4 ..... H. Wheatley 0
Mr. R. Redford's Silver Grass, 4, 7-4 ..... R. Jones 0
Mr. M. Davis's Prince Regent, 4, 7-4 ..... Grace 0
Sir G. Bullough's Le Roi, 4, 6-10 (car. 7-4) ..... Elliott 0

(Winner trained by Lowe.)

Betting—85 to 40 agst. Le Roi, 100 to 15 each Flint Jack and Arravale, 100 to 12 Tishy, 100 to 7 each Halberdier, Rivetter, and Kingston Hill, 20 to 1 SANGRAIL or any other.

Won by four lengths; a head separated second and third.

3.50—**THE BANSTEAD SELLING PLATE** of £200. 6 f.

Mr. Z. Michalinos' br. f. JOLLY EYES, by Charles O'Malley—Amantine, a, 8-11 ..... Beary 1
Mrs. F. Cameron's LADY SLIPPER, 4, 8-9 ..... M'Cracken 2
Mr. Carr—Playful, 6, 9-3 (J. Brennan); Pick by, 5, 9-0 (Fox); Bonnie Lass, 4, 9-0 (A. Smyth); Hurry Along, a, 9-0 (V. Smyth); Dispatch, 5, 9-0 (V. Smyth); Shekeragh, 5, 9-0 (Coleman); Wild Flame, 5, 8-4 (Hanson); Chronophone, 5, 7-13 (Lynch); Simon, 5, 7-13 (Gilchrist). Winner trained by F. Hunt.

Betting—3 to 1 agst. JOLLY EYES, 7 to 1 Pick by, 8 to 1 Hurry Along, 10 to 1 Lady Slipper, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by four lengths; half a length separated second and third.

The winner was sold to Mr. T. Hartigan for 400 guineas.

4.25—**WESTMINSTER STAKES** of £3 each, with £1,000 added. Second £200. 5 f.

Mr. M. Davis' MONARCH, 3, 8-4 (car. 8-5) ..... Earl 1
Bridge—Armina, 3, 8-0 ..... Donoghue 2
Mr. T. Jennings' FAREEING, 9-0 ..... Smyth 3
Mr. J. Joel's HELLO COLT, by Black Jester—Queen of the Earth, 8-11 ..... Bullock 4

Also ran—Flying Dispatch, 9-0 (Beary); Baby, 9-0 (Hulme); Tenebrous, 9-0 (A. Atta); Lord Roll, 9-0 (Slade); Garrison, 9-0 (Statham); Hack Pomfret, 9-0 (Fox); Dominican, 9-0 (Leach); Buzz Around, 8-11 (J. Brennan); Glitter, 8-11 (Elliott); Terror, 8-11 (Carslake); Kilsitelag, 8-11 (G. Smyth). Winner trained by Smyth.

Betting—4 to 1 each agst. Special and Glitter, 5 to 1 Kilsitelag, 7 to 1 each Garrison and Terror, 10 to 1 Hello colt, 100 to 6 YIC'S CHOICE or any other.

Won by two lengths; a neck separated second and third.

5.0—**THE NORK PARK PLATE** of £900. Second £110. 1m. 110 yards.

Sir G. Noble's ro. c. DOUBLE DOUCEUR, by Bachelor's Double—Grey Tip, 4, 9-11 ..... Donoghue 1

Lady M'Millan's PASSIN' THROUGH, 3, 8-6 ..... Gray 2

Mr. J. B. Joel's THE JESTER, 4, 9-11 ..... Bullock 3

Also ran—Bas Tor, 4, 10-0 (J. Brennan); Pick by, 8-6 (Gardner); Nightingall, 3, 8-4 (V. Smyth); Ira, 5, 8-2 (Carslake); Tantivy, 3, 8-2 (V. Smyth); Chieftainess, 5, 7-13 (Piper); King Pippin, 3, 7-13 (Beary); Winner trained by Bullock.

Betting—5 to 1 each agst. The Jester and Passin' Through, 6 to 1 each Doucerer, Ira, and East Tor, 7 to 1 DOUBLE DOUCEUR, 8 to 1 Nightshift, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by half a length; two lengths separated second and third.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

To-day is big with the fate of the City and Suburban, for which the undermentioned are

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

Sir E. Paget's **PARAGON,** 3, 9-0 (Gilpin)

*Mr. W. Whinerary's LEIGHTON, 4, 8-11 (Cottrill)
Sir H. Bird's MONARCH, 4, 8-4 (car.) ..... Evans.
Mr. J. Courtauld's DONNA BRANCA, 4, 8-2 (D. Jarvis) ..... Archibald.
Mr. J. White's GRANELI, 4, 8-0 (including 10lb. extra) (Cottrill) ..... Fox.
Mr. C. Murray's CRUBENMORE, 4, 7-11 (F. Darling) ..... Bullock.
Duke of Portland's EVANDER, ... V. Smyth.
Mr. R. Parr's SILVER IMAGE, 4, 7-9 (Perse) ..... Beary.
Mr. T. J. O'Neill's TREMOLA, 4, 7-9 (Bates) ..... Smith.
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Mr. S. Howeson's JILTED, 4, 7-5 (H. Wheatley, Nightingall) ..... Lister.
Mr. J. de Rothschild's HASTY MATCH, 4, 7-5 (Pratt) ..... Lynch.
Major H. Cayzer's BROKEN FAITH, 5, 7-5 (Gooch) ..... Grace.
Mrs. H. Nugent's LADY SLEIPNER, 4, 7-0 (Nugent) ..... Wragg.
Major D. Davies's SENHORA, 5, 6-13 (G. Poole) ..... Pritchard.
His Majesty's BOWOOD, 4, 6-9 (R. Marsh) ..... Robertson.

* Doubtful starter.

Several of the candidates are strongly fancied by their respective stables. Newmarket opinion is mostly in favour of Paragon. Monarch is stated to have made considerable progress since running so well in the Lincoln, but I hardly expect him to turn the tables on

GRANELY,

who won in a canter on the Carholme, and was never so good as he is now. Cottrill's horse has my confident vote, and **Lady Sleipner** has good claims to be considered the likeliest outsider.

The Tadworth Plate should fall to **Wayzgoose,** and whatever beats the **Lady Randy** filly should win the Betchworth Selling. **Fodder** will be near the mark for the Copthorne Plate, and the Kingswood Plate may go to **Joust. Charming** should win the Hyde Park Plate, and **Servitude** the Apprentices' Plate.

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SCANDIA (Mr. D. Davies) ..... Barclay	4	8 5
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9 a.m.—Committee of Management, Irish Farmer, Ltd., at 37 Upper Fitzwilliam street.
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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—Fine, quiet weather is likely on Wednesday over most of the British Isles, but cold and to north-east winds will persist in the south-east districts, with showers on the coasts. A depression approaching Iceland will probably soon cause mild, unsettled conditions in the north-west districts of the British Isles, but a few days' of fair weather are probable in the south-east.
Ireland, N.W.—Light to moderate southerly winds; fine at first, probably dull, with rain later; visibility mainly good; mild.
Ireland, N.E.—Wind light, indefinite or southerly; fine; visibility good, apart from morning mist; moderate temperature during the day, risk of local frost at night.
Ireland, S.E. and S.W.—Light or moderate southerly winds; fair; visibility good; mild.
South-West Seaboard, mouth of Channel to S.W. Ireland, and St. George's Channel—Wind indefinite or southerly, mainly light; fine; visibility good; sea smooth or slight.
North-West Seaboard, N. Ireland to Hebrides—Wind freshening from south or south-west; becoming dull, with rain later; visibility good, deteriorating; sea slight, becoming rougher.
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HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR (NEW TIME).

To-day ... Morning 6.10 Evening 6.48
To-morrow ... " ... 7.26 " 8. 1

SUNRISE AND SUNSET (NEW TIME).

To-day ... Rises .. 6.18 | Sets 7.31
To-morrow ... " 6.16 " 8.33
LIGHTING-UP TIME ..... 9.31 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Faithful Heart," 2.30 and 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Empire Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"The Memory of the Dead," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Ann Kavanagh," "The Lord Mayor," 8.15 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—Continuous, 2 to 10.30 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—Continuous, 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Grand Central Cinema—Continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Royal Hibernian Academy—Annual Exhibition.
Metropolitan School of Art, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Unpurchased Tenants Meeting, 42 Upper Sackville street, 1.30 p.m.
All-Ireland Ratepayers' Association, Rotunda, 11 a.m.
Postal Commission, 2 p.m.
Dublin Guardians, 2 p.m.
Teachers' Congress, Mansion House, 11 a.m.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Irish Peace Conference, which was to have been resumed at the Dublin Mansion House to-day, has been postponed till to-morrow at o'clock.—(P. 5.)

At the Teachers' Conference in Dublin yesterday the Minister for Education referred to the importance of the teaching of the Irish language, and said that in order that the teachers might undergo a course of instruction it was proposed to close the schools—except those in the cities—for three months during the summer.—(P. 5.)

The Irish national programme of primary instruction was issued yesterday by the National Education authorities in Dublin. —(P. 5.)

Celbridge Barrack, which is occupied by the Irish Republican Army, was heavily attacked by a large party of men on Monday night. The garrison beat off the attack, which lasted for nearly an hour.—(P. 6.)

Ten persons, including an officer of the Norfolk Regiment, were wounded by snipers in Belfast yesterday. Several shops were looted.—(P. 5.)

Yesterday a railway official was robbed of a sum of money by an armed man in Cork, and near Fermoy a bag containing money was taken from a bank manager.—(P. 5.)

The County Roscommon farmers have called upon the political leaders to find a common understanding for the purpose of setting up a Government, failing which that the people be asked to take steps to set up a Government of their own.—(P. 6.)

The Right Hon. H. T. Barrie, M.P., died yesterday.—(P. 6.)

A land league of tenants on unpurchased estates was formed at a convention of such tenants in Dublin yesterday.—(P. 6.)

GREAT BRITAIN

The Independent Labour Party has rejected the proposal to form an alliance with the Independent Liberals.—(P. 6.)

ABROAD.

The Allies and Associated States at the Genoa Conference handed a strongly-worded Note to the German Delegation stating that, as Germany has gone behind her colleagues' backs in entering into a separate treaty with Russia, it is assumed that she will take no further part in the discussions affecting an inter-European arrangement.—(P. 5.)

Delegates at Genoa have been provided with an official return showing the amounts owed by Russia on January 1, 1917.—(P. 6.)

Scenes of popular enthusiasm marked the visit of the Prince of Wales to the Peace Exhibition in Tokio yesterday.—(P. 5.)

SPORTING.

The race for the Juvenile Stakes at the Curragh yesterday resulted in a dead-heat between Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Princess Jabby and Mr. D. J. Cogan's Great Pet.—(P. 5.)

At Epsom the Great Metropolitan Stakes was won by Sangrail, Flint Jack and Adorna being second and third respectively.—(P. 3.)

The Jubilee Hurdle Race at Manchester was won by Fariray, with Lukeston second and Forest Fire third.—(P. 3.)

Little Vega won the Gosford Park Three-Year-Old Handicap at Newcastle.—(P. 3.)

COMMERCIAL.

London Stock Markets re-opened in buoyant fashion, but during the day a moderate reaction wiped out portion of the gains. The close was cheerful.—(P. 7.)

Money not in good demand in Lombard street, and rates kept firm. Discount rates were quiet. In the Exchanges, sterling on New York was strong.—(P. 7.)

Dublin Stock Market does not re-open until to-day.—(P. 7.)

The June Elections.

We understand that the Constitution of the Free State is now complete and will be published before the end of April. Thus it will be in the people's hands for at least a full month before the electors are asked to vote for its acceptance or rejection. They will be free to examine it minutely in all its aspects, and neither Mr. de Valera nor anybody else will be able to complain that the issues are being concealed from the country. The early publication of the Constitution implies, no doubt, that the Provisional Government has decided definitely that the elections shall be held in June. The public will applaud this decision; for a further postponement could have served no useful purpose. Everybody is perfectly familiar with all the arguments for and against the Treaty. Until the question has been settled in one way or the other general uncertainty and unrest must prevail. The people's will is the controlling factor, and nothing save a full and constitutional assertion of it will enable the country to make a fresh start. In the meanwhile it is very desirable that some sort of truce shall be kept between the political parties, and that both shall unite to facilitate the elections. An effort to produce such agreement will be made to-morrow at the resumed conference in the Dublin Mansion House. Although Mr. de Valera's recent speeches have not been encouraging, we shall hope for the best. We believe that Messrs. Griffith and Collins are ready to make all reasonable concessions; but there are some concessions which the public interest will not allow them to make—such as, for instance, a further postponement of the elections. Mr. de Valera, it is understood, demands a new register, and that task would involve a postponement of many weeks. Nevertheless, a compromise does not seem to be impossible. Only four years have passed since the elections which put *Dail Eireann* in office. Surely a supplemental list of persons who, during the interval, have qualified for the vote could be prepared by experts before the end of May. An offer of that kind ought to remove any objection to the existing register which is not inspired by mere tactics of obstruction. In this way the register could be enlarged to meet Mr. de Valera's wishes without any breach of the essential condition that the elections shall be held in June.

A New Pact.

A very serious situation has arisen at Genoa. While the assembled Powers have been discussing the possibility of a general peace with Soviet Russia, Germany, whose delegates were sitting in council with the Allies on this very question, has concluded a separate pact with Moscow. This treaty abolishes all debts between Germany and Russia, puts each party in the position of the most-favoured nation in respect to the other, and grants to Russia complete *de jure* recognition by the Berlin Government. The publication of the treaty came as a complete surprise and threw the whole Conference into a state of confusion. Germany accepted the invitation of the Allies to Genoa on certain well-defined conditions. Chief among them were the Cannes proposals in regard to Russia, which declared that even the *de facto* recognition of the Soviet Government could not be considered by the Powers until the Russians should agree to assume full responsibility for the external debt of the *ancien régime*. Now the Germans have "jumped" the Allies' claim, and the Genoa Conference is faced with a most embarrassing *fait accompli*.

The principal delegates of the Allied and "little *Entente*" Powers met yesterday and sent a very strong Note to Germany. They accuse Dr. Rathenau of having made this agreement with Russia behind the backs of his colleagues, and they virtually prohibit the Germans from taking any further part in the proceedings. Officially, they "assume" that the Berlin Government "renounces" its claim to participate in the negotiations. There is no doubt that Dr. Rathenau has acted in a very underhand manner in coming to terms with the Russians behind the Allies' backs; but, after all, he is a German, and the Allies ought to have been on their guard. While the way in which the pact was made is strongly to be deprecated, its political significance has been exaggerated. Most careful observers of European affairs foresaw a Russo-German *rapprochement* two years ago. Both countries, financially and economically, were "down and out," and they recognised long ago the value of economic partnership. The fact that the Treaty was signed at Genoa is more or less an accident. To all intents and purposes, it has been in being since the Russian Legation was established in Berlin.

The greatest need both of Germany and of Russia is credit, and, no matter how closely they ally themselves, they can get that only from the outside world. Therefore, they must keep on good terms with the Allies. At present neither of them has very much to give to the other. Russia's only exportable asset seems to be timber, of which Germany has more than enough. Germany, of course, can send an army of highly-trained engineers and other experts into Russia, but without money they will not be able to achieve any startling results. Furthermore, the chances that Russia and Germany will maintain their alliance for any great length of time are very slight. At heart every Slav hates the Germans, and the present arrangement is due solely to the fact that both nations hate France and England. The Allies have the whip-hand of Germany in the Treaty of Versailles, and the Russians cannot do more damage to European stability than they have been doing since the proclamation of their crazy form of government. We hope, therefore, that the Genoa Conference will continue its work, and will not take the Russo-German Treaty too tragically. The ideal of European peace and welfare is far higher than any considerations of political intrigue.

Irish Teachers.

The Provisional Government's schemes of educational reform may be open to many criticisms; but already the spirit in which they are conceived has produced one excellent result. It was defined in a sentence yesterday by the President of the Irish National Teachers' Organisation. The teachers are conscious of a new and improved *status*. Their financial anxieties have been relieved; their future is secure; the new Ministry proposes to seek their active help in matters not merely of administration, but of policy. They are able at last, as Mr. Harbison said, to think less about themselves and more about their work. His own address reflected this happy change. He dealt in a broad and very suggestive way with the problems of primary education and with the aid which contented and ambitious teachers can give to their solution. We note with pleasure his tribute to the initiative which Trinity College has taken in providing a university training for national teachers, and his hope that in the near future other Irish universities will follow this good example. Mr. Harbison's plea for an effective Compulsory Attendance Act ought to receive immediate attention from the authorities. At present only 60 *per cent.* of enrolled pupils attend the Irish schools—a sad contrast with Scotland, where the average attendance reaches 85 *per cent.* The official school programme for the coming year was issued yesterday, and, apart from the contentious stress which it lays on the teaching of the Irish language, all can agree that it is likely to give a new stimulus to teachers and pupils alike. The recommendation that teaching in rural schools shall be adapted to the needs of rural life is thoroughly sound.

German Railways.

There seems to be every likelihood that the State's control of the German railways will be abandoned in the near future. The opponents of "nationalisation" have been gathering strength, and now they are ready with a definite alternative. They propose that an enormous company shall be formed, in which agricultural associations, banks, industrial concerns, trade unions, and communes shall be the principal shareholders. The State's only duty will be the periodical inspection of the system with a view to the maintenance of a high standard of service. For this work it will receive a small share of the annual profits. The new proposal is very significant. Germany has a purely Socialist Government. State control of the railways is one of the chief planks of the Socialist platform, and in Britain the Labour Party has been standing on it for years. The Germans now appear to recognise that State control means exorbitant wages, ruinous subsidies, and indifferent services. If they decide to return to the old system of private or semi-private control, their decision will constitute an excellent object-lesson for Labour throughout the world.

Long Life.

Professor Winkler, of Vienna University, has made minute and tedious investigations to find out the average period of men's years in the different paths of life. According to his results, which have just been published, farmers and mental workers of a special kind, such as philosophers, artists, mathematicians and orators, reach the greatest age. Artisans or craftsmen do not live so long, while assistants in public-houses and men employed in breweries have a very low record. They are more short-lived even than medical men, who have anything but a high average. The professor's statistics are not very helpful when everything is considered. Many centuries ago it was known that a sedentary or peaceful occupation was conducive to long life and that the addition of a healthy atmosphere and manner of living made this effect more probable. Also the wearing and tearing effect of responsibility and nervous tests was familiar to the ancients. Enough all the figures in the world should point otherwise, there is nothing to prevent any careful potman from reaching a serene old age.

SHOOTING STARS.

A COLLISION WITH THE EARTH

The constellation of Lyra, which is just now rising in the north-east about two hours after sunset, contains the radiant point of the Lyrid meteors, one of the most important of the meteoric systems which periodically come into collision with the earth as it bowls along its orbit. Our planet will reach the junction of the two orbits about the middle of this week, and not until the end of the week will it have passed clear of the widespread battalions of the Lyrids, particles of cosmic matter which become incandescent and visible as "shooting stars," when their speed is slowed down by entering the resisting medium of the earth's atmosphere. Reliable records of the Lyrids exist reaching back for over 2,500 years, and in modern times they have occasionally been marvellous spectacles in the night sky.

They are spread out along a vast orbit which has its "aphelion" far beyond the orbit of the distant Neptune, some 6,000 million miles from the earth, and those which escape the earth's atmospheric trap this week will not return again until about the year A.D. 2330; so enormous is their path through space that over 400 years is needed for one revolution. They are associated with a comet with a similar orbit, which was last near the earth in 1861, when it was a conspicuous naked-eye object.

This week the moon will not rise until the small hours, so that it will not be present in the night sky to interfere by its brilliance with the performance of the celestial fireworks from Lyra. The "radiant," or point in the sky whence the Lyrids appear to originate, is just below the brilliant star Vega, which dominates the north-eastern quadrant of the heavens as Lyra moves across the sky between sunset and sunrise.

ROYAL VISIT TO BELGIUM.

The King and Queen will leave London on their State visit to Brussels on Monday, May 8. Special apartments have been prepared for them at the Old Palace, and on the evening of their arrival the King of Belgium will preside at a State banquet in their honour.

Colonel H. W. M. Bamford, Commissioner of Police at Malta, has been appointed Commandant of the Gold Coast Constabulary.

AUCTION BRIDGE.

DOUBLES.

There are two classes of doubles, the informatory, which invites the partner to overcall, and the practical double, which is made with the intention of defeating the opponents' contract. In the latter case, sound players do not double unless they are practically certain of inflicting a penalty, and it is, therefore, seldom advisable for the partner to take out unless he has a hand quite out of the ordinary.

With the score at love, game all, the following hand recently occurred in play, the dealer calling three spades:—

Spades—King, Queen, Knave, x., x., x., x.
Hearts—x.
Diamonds—Ace, x.
Clubs—Knave, x., x.

While the opponent on the left bid four hearts, holding only one spade, the ace.

The dealer's partner held:—
Hearts—Ace, Knave, x.
Spades—x., x., x.
Clubs—King, x., x.
Diamonds—x., x., x., x.

He doubled four hearts, at which the game was won, the dealer making no further bid.

The writer, who was playing at an adjoining table, was appealed to as arbitrator in the *post-mortem* which followed. Each of the losing players argued that his declaration was correct, the dealer's partner stating that he doubled the four hearts for the following reasons:—

(1) It was a free double, and he held the opponents' suit twice.

(2) He gave the dealer the option of either leaving in the double or returning to spades.

But the dealer's partner should have gone a little farther in his reasoning. The pre-emptive call of three spades showed that the dealer held seven tricks, with this suit as trumps, and that his hand was useless for any other declaration. As the partner held three spades, it was unlikely, with hearts as trumps, spades would be worth more than one trick, and perhaps not even that. His own hand was hardly strong enough to raise to four spades, but before the rubber game, he should have done so instead of risking a doubtful double.

The dealer's pre-emptive bid of three spades was quite correct, but when his partner doubled the four hearts he should most certainly have taken him out, as, with hearts as trumps, there was only one sure trick in the hand.

When a sound player doubles an opponent's bid of two or three, it is seldom advisable for the partner to take him out, unless his *vis-à-vis* holds a hand similar to the dealer's mentioned above, which is practically useless in defence.

The writer will be very pleased to answer any inquiries on Bridge from readers.

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COURT AND PERSONAL.

VICEREGAL LODGE, DUBLIN, TUESDAY.

Their Excellencies the Lord Lieutenant and the Viscountess FitzAlan of Derwent, accompanied by members of the Viceregal household and party, and attended by Captain the Hon. Gerald Browne, the Royal Dragoons, *Aide-de-Camp*, were present at the Curragh Races to-day.

The Right Hon. the Commander-in-Chief, Mrs. Puckle, and Captain R. Holmes-Jackson, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment, had the honour of being invited to dine with Their Excellencies this evening.

The Viscountess Powerscourt and the Hon. Doreen Wingfield arrived at the Viceregal Lodge to-day.

The Earl and Countess of Pembroke have sold their house in Belgrave Square, London, and are making Wilton House, near Salisbury, their headquarters for the present. The Earl of Denbigh, who underwent an operation last week, is progressing favourably, but will not be able to attend to business for a fortnight. The Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen are spending the Easter holidays at the House of Cromar, Deeside. The Hon. Walter and Lady Evelyn Guinness, and Lady Muriel Willoughby, are spending the Easter recess in Paris. Mr. and Lady Joan Verney are on the Continent, where they will remain until next month.

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The Earl of Ilchester, who has just returned from New York, is now at Holland House. Lord and Lady Shaughnessy and the Hon. Marguerite Shaughnessy have arrived in London from Paris, where they spent ten days on their way back from Cannes. Lady Ierne Tufton has arrived in London from Marseilles, where she went to meet her daughter, Mrs. George Hill, on her return from Africa.

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The Right Hon. Sir John Jordan, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., late British Minister Plenipotentiary at Peking, has left London to attend the Opium Traffic Committee meeting in Geneva. Sir John is a distinguished Irishman, the son of the late Mr. John Jordan, of Ballioo, Bangor, Co. Down. He entered the Consular Service in 1876, and has spent the greater part of his life in China. He was, on one important appointment to another. He was British Minister from 1906 to 1920.

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Lady Emily Lutyens has returned from Delhi, where her husband, Sir Edward Lutyens, is still engaged in carrying out the scheme of restoration decided on by the Indian Government. His wife, on her arrival in England, joined her younger children at Homewood, Hertfordshire, the residence of her mother, the Dowager Countess of Lytton, with whom they spent Easter.

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A wide circle is placed in mourning by the death of the Dowager Countess of Derby, which occurred on Monday evening at her London residence, after a brief illness. Lady Derby was daughter of the fourth Earl of Clarendon, who was Lord Lieutenant of Ireland from 1847 to 1852, she spent several years of her childhood at the Viceregal Lodge. Her marriage with the seventeenth Earl of Derby, then Mr. Stanley, took place in 1834. She accompanied her husband to Canada when he was appointed Governor-General, in succession to the Marquis of Lansdowne. Lady Derby is survived by seven sons and one daughter, Lady Isobel Gathorne Hardy.

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The engagement is announced of Major Henry C. Loyd, D.S.O., M.C., and Lady Moyra Brodrick, youngest daughter of the Earl of Midleton, and granddaughter of the ninth Earl of Wemyss. Major Loyd, who is in the Coldstream Guards, is the only surviving son of Mr. Edward Loyd, and the Hon. Mrs. Loyd, of Langleybury, Herts, and is a nephew of Lord Lurgan. Lady Moyra's elder sisters are Lady Twedmouth, Lady Sibyl Graham, and Lady Aileen Meade.

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A marriage has been arranged, and will take place shortly, between Thomas Bruce Ismay, elder son of Bruce Ismay, of 15 Hill street, W., and Costello, Co. Galway, and Margaret, fourth daughter of the late Walter Seymour, of Ballymore Castle, Co. Galway. Miss Seymour is staying until her wedding with Mrs. Worsley-Gough, at 3 Buckingham Gate, S.W.1.

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The marriage arranged between James Stevenson, of Knockan, Co. Derry, eldest son of the late

CRISIS AT GENOA.

GERMANY'S BREACH OF CONFIDENCE.

ALLIES' NOTE OF PROTEST.

VIOLATION OF TREATY OF VERSAILLES.

The chiefs of the Allied delegations and representatives of the Little "Entente" met in private conference in Genoa yesterday to review the situation created by the signing of the Russo-German pact.

The meeting prepared a Note to the German delegation, in which the action of the Germans in entering into such a pact is described as a violation of the conditions to which Germany, in accepting an invitation to the Conference, had pledged herself.

It is assumed, the Note says, that, by thus going behind the backs of her colleagues, the Germans have renounced further participation in the discussion of the projected agreement between Russia and other countries.

All the delegates attending the Genoa Conference approved of the terms of the Note, which was handed to the German delegation yesterday.

DRAFTING THE NOTE.

ALLIED LEADERS' COMMENTS.

The bombshell which burst in Genoa on Monday night had an immediate effect yesterday morning. Mr. Lloyd George breakfasted with the members of the British delegation at the Hotel Miramar, and at 11 o'clock the delegates of Italy, France, Great Britain, and Japan, and the members of the Little *Entente*, Czecho-Slovakia, Rumania and Jugo Slavia, and Poland, met at the residence of the Italian Premier, Signor Facta, who is the President of the Genoa Conference.

The Little *Entente* members received with keen satisfaction the invitation to take part in the meeting, and Dr. Benes at the outset expressed on their behalf an appreciation to M. Barthou for his initiative in this matter.

During the night M. Barthou had been in communication with Paris, and when he went to the Conference yesterday morning he was in a position to acquaint his colleagues with the official French view.

The French Cabinet Council met in Paris yesterday morning. The meeting lasted for one and a half hours. No *communiqué* was issued at the end of the meeting, but it is understood that after M. Poincaré had informed his colleagues of the events at Genoa, and of the instructions that he had sent to M. Barthou, the Cabinet unanimously agreed to await the results of the Allied meeting at Genoa before taking final decisions.

Reuter's Correspondent in Genoa says that at the Allied meeting Mr. Lloyd George spoke first, and declared that while the responsibilities arising out of the signing of the Russo-German Treaty rested on both contractants, he thought that a greater blame should be laid on Germany, whose representatives had signed the Versailles Treaty to which Russia was not a party.

Mr. Lloyd George referred to the possibility of exerting pressure on Germany to compel her to reconsider her decision.

Signor Schanzer, the Italian Minister for Foreign Affairs, is reported to have insisted on the necessity of assuring a continuance of the labours of the Conference, and he was of the opinion that the departure from Genoa of one of the parties to the Russo-German Treaty would certainly entail that of the second.

Replying to Signor Schanzer, Mr. Lloyd George said that the worst policy at the present moment would be a policy of weakening.

It was, therefore, decided that a Note should be drafted that afternoon and handed to the German and Russian delegates, informing them that, owing to the attitude assumed by them in the signing of a separate agreement, it would be impossible to allow them to sit on the Commission dealing with Russian affairs so long as they persisted in such an attitude.

ATTITUDE DEFINED.

EMPIRE DELEGATES APPROVE.

At a meeting of the British Empire Delegation at the Hotel Miramar yesterday, Mr. Lloyd George explained the attitude that he had adopted towards Germany in consequence of the Treaty with Russia.

He said that he regarded the action of the Germans as a very serious one, and an unintelligible breach of the spirit in which the Powers were working at Genoa. Germany, added Mr. Lloyd George, had undertaken to, work in loyal and cordial co-operation with the other Powers, and had been given *status* equal to that of the convening Powers at the Conference, and, in spite of that, she had concluded a treaty with Russia behind the back of the Conference—a treaty dealing with questions at present being discussed with the Russians.

The grievance, Mr. Lloyd George went on, was not against Russia, but against Germany. Russia was not a recognised Power, and was almost in the position of an outlaw; but, obviously, Russia was at liberty to detach any of the recognised Powers from the rest to suit her own purposes; while Germany, in acting as she did, had committed an act of great discourtesy.

Mr. Lloyd George thereupon submitted the draft of the Note to be addressed to the President of the German Delegation, and all present at the meeting agreed to it.

The Italian delegate suggested attenuating somewhat the concluding paragraph of the Note, but finally abandoned his suggestion, and the British view prevailed, the text as telegraphed being upheld. The French representative cordially agreed with Mr. Lloyd George.

It was further agreed that, whatever the Germans and Russians might do or say, the Conference should go on.

Reports, which are understood to be spread by the Germans that the British Delegation had previous knowledge of the Russo-German Treaty, and, further, that Mr. Lloyd George had himself suggested it, are declared in authoritative quarters to be absolutely untrue.

THE FOUR COURTS.

NO SIGN OF EVACUATION.

The question of providing accommodation for the judges of the High Court in lieu of the Four Courts, for the discharge of the legal business of the country, engaged the attention of the Minister for Home Affairs yesterday, but no definite decision has yet been taken.

There was a rumour yesterday that the Provisional Government had already served notice on General Roderick O'Connor to vacate the Four Courts buildings within a specified time, but this, however, was not confirmed.

Beyond the usual crowd of curious spectators who gathered yesterday about the Chancery street entrance to the Four Courts, there was little new in the situation there. It was noted that stronger guards had been posted at various points, and even on the roof. One of these made himself rather prominent by walking along the parapet and wearing a barrister's wig, in addition to the usual equipment of legging, bells, and revolver. His quaint appearance attracted much attention.

All the windows of the Four Courts are now barricaded with sand bags, books, and even deed boxes. Yesterday some of the deed boxes were lying about in the Court grounds.

BISHOP OF AUCKLAND'S VISIT.

The Most Rev. Dr. Cleary, Bishop of Auckland, New Zealand, called at the offices of the Irish Self-Determination League yesterday, and had an interview with Mr. Arthur Griffith and Mr. Gavan Duffy.

A RUSSIAN VIEW.

TO HELP ECONOMIC REVIVAL.

In conversation with one of the Press Associations Special Correspondents at Genoa, a member of the Russian Delegation expressed surprise at the stir caused in *Entente* circles, and especially among the French Delegation, over the German-Russian Treaty. The Russian view is that the Soviet Government is perfectly at liberty to conclude an agreement with any State, and that the present Treaty with Germany is in no wise derogatory to the Genoa Conference, especially as negotiations for the Treaty had been proceeding for months past.

On the contrary, according to the Russian view, the agreement would be a good thing, because it would have the effect of improving Germany's economic and financial position, and thus enable her better to carry out the obligations of the Versailles Treaty.

The Russians express the hope that a reasonable view will be taken of their agreement with Germany, that its true import would be understood, and that it would not be allowed to interfere with the Conference.

FRANCE INDIGNANT.

MILITARY PACT POSSIBLE.

An Exchange Paris message states that indignant comments fill the newspapers respecting the Russo-German Treaty. All are unanimous in declaring that here is an act of disloyalty which jeopardises the success of the Conference for which it comes as a veritable thunderbolt, which may bring about its end. The actual purport of this Russo-German Treaty, according to Paris opinion, is to bring Germany and Russia together in the closest sense.

A correspondent of the *Petit Parisien*, writing with reference to the consequences of the agreement, says that it is not impossible that the Conference will be declared at an end. This correspondent was informed by a person in close touch with the French Delegation that France and her Allies would not change their attitude. They would continue to demand that the Soviet Government should acknowledge Russia's debts, restore confiscated properties, and also give guarantees for the future.

The newspapers generally agree (says Reuter) that a *coup d'état* has been achieved. M. Tchitcherin and Dr. Rathenau, by throwing a vivid light on the real perspectives confronting Europe, will serve to dissipate certain dangerous views. It will also restore the balance of the Western Alliance, on which depends the future of peace.

When all has been carefully weighed up, says the *Journal*, we should congratulate ourselves.

The *Gaulois* says:—It is preferable that the abscess, the steady growth of which had been noted, should burst. The cards of our adversaries are exposed, and we know their game.

This newspaper considers that it would be wise to make a complete change of front, and inflict an exemplary punishment on the audacious nations which have been guilty of what the British call veritable disloyalty.

The agreement, adds the *Journal*, is manifestly, as Dr. Rathenau admits, an alliance of countries impatient for revenge.

The *Petit Journal* says that the only thing that the agreement lacks is a military convention, and that might come at any moment, if, indeed, it does not already exist in secret.

The *Echo de Paris* says:—The Conference has no longer an objective.

"Pertinax" considers the agreement to be the most important event since the Armistice.

The *Figaro* is curious to see how "the German challenge will be regarded in Great Britain and Italy"; and the *Populaire*, a Socialist journal, says:—It is victory for Germany and the Soviet, and the position of Great Britain and Italy is becoming critical.

Reuter's Correspondent telegraphs from New York:—

The *New York World* says:—Some observers will undoubtedly believe that they see in it (the Treaty) a grand political manœuvre with a view to the establishment of a Russo-German *bloc*, which has been a favourite nightmare for some years, but in our opinion there is little in it. What Russia needs Germany is not in a position to supply. Germany might send some technical men and organisers, but the main body of the capital for Russian regeneration must come from the great creditor nations, even though some of this passes through German middlemen.

Last night's New York evening newspapers generally criticise the action of Germany and Russia in forming a separate alliance.

The *Evening Mail* describes it as "a gambler's throw, made with all the effrontery of a gambler."

The *Evening Post* says:—Germany is doing her best to alienate the Allies, whose help she needs more than Russian co-operation.

The *Globe* says:—It is a menacing alliance by the two parish nations of Europe, who have all to gain and nothing to lose.

CONFIDENCE ABUSED.

TEXT OF ALLIES' PROTEST.

Reuter's Correspondent later telegraphed the text of the Note, which is in the form of a letter, addressed to the President of the German Delegation, It reads:—

"The undersigned Powers have learned with astonishment that in the first stage of the Genoa Conference Germany, without reference to the other Powers assembled, has secretly concluded a Treaty with the Soviet Government.

"The questions covered by the Treaty are the subject of negotiations between the representatives of Russia and those of all the other Powers invited to the Conference, including Germany, and the German Chancellor himself declared at the opening session only a week ago that the German Delegation would cooperate with the other Powers for a solution of these questions in a spirit of genuine loyalty and fellowship.

"The undersigned Powers, therefore, express to the German Delegation in the frankest terms their opinion that the conclusion of such an agreement while the Conference is in session is a violation of the conditions to which Germany pledged herself on entering the Conference.

"By inviting Germany to Genoa and by offering representation to her in every Commission on equal terms with themselves, the assembling Powers proved their readiness to wipe memories of the war and granted Germany an opportunity for honest co-operation with her former enemies in the European tasks of the Conference.

"To that offer of goodwill and fellowship Germany has replied with an act which destroys the spirit of mutual confidence which is indispensable to international co-operation, and the establishment of which is the chief aim of this Conference.

"At all Conferences unofficial conversations between the parties are permissible and often desirable. They are helpful so long as they are designed to facilitate the common task, and so long as the results are brought to the Conference table for common discussion and decision, but that is not what the German delegates have done.

Whilst the Conference is sitting, and whilst Germany is represented on the Commission and on the sub-commission, charged with the negotiation of a European peace with Russia on a basis of the Cannes stipulations, the German representatives on that Commission have behind the backs of their colleagues, concluded a secret Treaty with Russia on the very questions which they have undertaken to consider in loyal conjunction with the representatives of the other nations.

"That Treaty is not subject to examination, or sanction, by the Conference, and we understand that it is final, and that it is not proposed to submit it to the judgment of the Conference. It is, in fact, a violation of some of the principles on which the Conference is based.

"In these circumstances, the undersigned do not consider it fair, or equitable, that Germany, having effected her own arrangement with Russia, should enter into the discussion of an arrangement between their countries and Russia. They, therefore, assume that the German delegates have by their action renounced any further participation in the discussion of conditions of agreement between Russia and the various countries represented at the Conference.

"Please accept, M. le President, the assurance of our high consideration.

(Signed) "D. LLOYD GEORGE.
"LOUIS BARTHOU.
"FACTA, K.
"ISHII, G.
"THEUNIS, EDOUARD.
"BENES, C.
"SAKHNOWT, M.
"NINCIC.
"CONTY.
"DIAMONDY."

HOUSING IN CORK.

At a special meeting of the Cork Corporation last night, it was announced that a grant of £74,000 was available from the Local Government Board towards the Council's housing scheme, and it was decided to proceed at once with the erection of a number of houses on the south side of the city to relieve the congestion there, and in about a month's time to erect 1,000 houses in the northern side of the city, and 300 in the eastern suburb.

PEACE MOVEMENT.

CONFERENCE TO MEET TO-MORROW.

THE FREE STATE CONSTITUTION.

We learn that the Constitution of the Irish Free State, which a Select Committee has been preparing for many weeks, is now virtually complete, and will be published at an early date. The country, therefore, will have ample opportunity to study the Constitution in all its aspects before, in conjunction with the Treaty, it is submitted to the people at the June elections.

The political atmosphere was decidedly calm in Dublin yesterday. The tension of the past few days had relaxed, and the people seemed to feel a sense of relief.

Some hope is entertained that the resumed conference at the Mansion House to-morrow "to secure peace in Ireland," between the pro-Treaty and the anti-Treaty parties may not separate until it has reached some agreement on the main points at issue.

The conference was to have met to-day, but late last night it was announced that its meeting has been postponed till to-morrow at 3 o'clock.

The Conference first assembled last Thursday at the invitation of His Grace Archbishop Byrne and the Lord Mayor. Besides these gentlemen, the other members of the Conference are Mr. Stephen O'Mara, senior, of Limerick, Mr. Arthur Griffith, Mr. de Valera, Mr. Michael Collins and Mr. Cathal Brugha.

DANGERS ALL ROUND.

DR. GAUGHRAN AND THE NEED OF UNITY.

Preaching at first Mass, in Mullingar Cathedral on Sunday, the Most Rev. Dr. Gaughran, Bishop of Meath, said that just now they were surrounded by the greatest perils that ever encompassed their country. They were surrounded by those great dangers that ever threatened them during the past seven hundred years, and in such a time they should hope and pray that the Irish Church would have a day of joy. The Irish Church, continued his lordship, "may be said to have been on Calvary for the last 700 years. Is the day of her resurrection coming? With all sincerity, I say it depends on ourselves. It depends on our own union; it depends on our own common-sense."

SLIGO AGAIN NORMAL.

POST OFFICE WORK RESUMED.

The Republican troops who took possession of the town of Sligo during the week-end have now left it. There was some firing on Monday night in the vicinity of the Courthouse and the jail, but no one was injured. Telegraphic communication was much interrupted during Monday.

An official statement which was issued yesterday states:—As the armed occupants of the Sligo Post Office have now withdrawn, postal and telegraph communication with that office has been restored to-day.

DR. H. SWAN.

Dr. H. Swan, of John street, Sligo, writes to us to contradict the statement which was published on Monday that he was removed from his residence on Saturday by armed men. Dr. Swan says that at no time since he settled in Sligo has he received the slightest discourtesy from men, armed or otherwise.

TURKS ASSASSINATED.

ARMENIAN REPRISAL IN BERLIN.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

A man, who is reported to be the brother of Talaat Pasha, the Turkish Grand Vizier, who was himself shot dead in Berlin last year, was also shot dead here last night.

A semi-official version of the affair says that shortly after midnight Jemal Azmyk Bey and Bakaedin Chakir, two Turkish subjects, were murdered. The former was an ex-Governor of Trebizond, and the latter a leading member of the Committee of Union and Progress.

The murder was probably committed from political motives by Armenian residents here. The police offer a reward of 20,000 marks.—(Reuter.)

BAN ON EMIGRATION.

FIFTY PASSENGERS DETAINED.

The greatest activity is being displayed by Dail Eireann Home Office in regard to the prevention of emigration on the part of the younger generation.

On Friday 30 young persons, with their passages paid to America, were detained as they were about to embark for Liverpool in order to join a vessel to the United States. The reason for their detention was the absence of Dail Eireann passports, which are not issued except on the grounds of ill-health.

Yesterday 20 intending passengers to America were detained pending the decision of the Dail Eireann Home Office.

Shipping agents in Ireland have received instructions not to issue tickets to America unless the applicant can show his passport from Dail Eireann. If the agents infringe this order they are liable to a fine of £50.

MESSAGES TO MR. DE VALERA.

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"BRITISH" DAY IN TOKIO.

THE PRINCE FETED.

POPULAR EVIDENCE OF GOOD-WILL.

TOKIO, Tuesday.

The entertainment given yesterday evening by Baron Goto, Mayor of Tokio, in honour of the Prince's visit, which included a Japanese programme at the Imperial Theatre, did not conclude until one o'clock this morning.

To-day the Prince paid a visit to the Peace Exhibition of 1922, which, although a purely local effort, is the largest ever held in Japan, and its success has far exceeded the expectations of its promoters, the Prefectural Authorities of Tokio.

To-day, however, was a gala day, and specially set apart as "British," when the Prince, accompanied by members of his Suite, paid a visit. The route to the exhibition grounds was lined by thousands, the streets near the main entrance especially being literally packed with sightseers, a large proportion of whom consisted of visitors from the country, who gave His Royal Highness a most enthusiastic welcome.

On arrival the Prince was received by the authorities of the exhibition, including His Imperial Highness Prince Konin, Honorary President, and His Excellency the Usami, Governor of the Tokio Prefecture.

After the address of welcome had been read by the Governor, to which the Prince responded, the visitors made a brief tour of inspection through the more important buildings. On this particular day the British building was naturally the centre of attraction, and it certainly is one of the most striking in the whole exhibition, with its dainty floral design of red, white, and blue. Here were to be seen some 150 British products, from a huge gas engine to specimens of the latest textile designs, while in the centre is a library and reading room, well stocked with British catalogues, in charge of representatives of the Federation of British Industries.

No more picturesque spot could have been chosen for the setting of the various buildings, grouped as they are on the shore of the lotus-covered lake which lies at the base of the wooded hills of the park.

SIR HENRY WILSON.

HIS ADVICE TO ULSTER.

Field-Marshal Sir Henry Wilson, M.P., visited Newtownards last night, and addressed a meeting of his constituents.

Lord Londonderry, who presided, said that Unionists now had the melancholy satisfaction of seeing everything that they had forecasted about the situation in Ireland come true. The experiment in self-government in the South did not seem to be a great success. Every day there arose a new Irish leader. They had seen Mr. de Valera succeeded by Mr. Michael Collins, and recently a new exponent of Irish theories, Mr. Rory O'Connor, the only one with an Irish name, had arisen. They all expressed the same ideals, but apparently they were unable to co-operate for the benefit of Ireland.

Lord Londonderry said that he went into the London Conference with Mr. Griffith and Mr. Collins in the hope that they were capable of carrying on their undertakings. He had maintained hope as far as possible, but he read with a sinking heart words which fell from Mr. Griffith's lips recently. Mr. Griffith said that he was not going to be dictated to, that it was a matter for the Irish people, and that whatever way the Irish people wanted to go he would follow.

That, continued Lord Londonderry, "is not the function of a leader."

So far as the Northern Government was concerned, it was determined to govern for the benefit of all classes, and to set an example of fair play and tolerance. He appealed to the people to exercise restraint and to set their faces against reprisals.

Sir Henry Wilson outlined the Peace Conference at Paris based on hopes for the future peace of the world on three conditions, all of them false.

The delegates considered that great empires were a danger, and ought to be broken up. They proceeded to Balkanise Europe.

They declared that the peoples loved one another, and formed the League of Nations. But they did not include the League of Nations third false assumption was that President Wilson represented America.

He (Sir Henry) thought that it was because those assumptions were false that they never had any peace during the last three years. They never would have peace until those assumptions were swept aside.

Referring to Ireland, he declared that they needed to get back to the Union and the British Empire.

Messrs. de Valera, Griffith, and Collins were to deliver the goods. As Mr. Lloyd George, and the "goods" that they delivered were the killing of 500 soldiers and policemen. It was not a nice story, but it was the truth.

He appealed to the men and women of Ulster to take their share and to be absolutely determined to re-establish law and order in the six counties, and to organise themselves so that they could look on what was now a frontier with brave eyes and stout hearts, knowing that they were the heart of a movement that was going to stabilise a rocking Empire.

RAILWAY MONEY STOLEN.

DAYLIGHT "HOLD-UP" IN CORK.

A robbery of a daring character took place at noon yesterday in Cork. When an official was on his way to the bank with a sum of money belonging to the Great Southern and Western Railway Company, he was stopped by an armed man, who deprived him of the money and escaped in the direction of St. Luke's. The matter is being investigated by the Republican Police. Within the past few days several city establishments have been robbed.

BANK MANAGER ROBBED.

Yesterday, when Mr. H. C. Nash, Manager of the Munster and Leinster Bank, Fermoy, and his assistant, Mr. Meehan, were going to the sub-offices at Castletownroche to receive cash, they were "held up" by two armed men. They were ordered out of the car, and told to walk a short distance away. After a few minutes they were informed that they might return, and when they found that the box containing the money for the day's business had disappeared. They were told not to proceed for two hours. The Republican Police at Fermoy were communicated with, and a diligent search was commenced round the country. It is not known if the police have been successful in their efforts. It is said that the sum which was taken was not a large one.

THREE DROWNED.

BELFAST BOATING ACCIDENT.

A distressing boating accident occurred on the River Lagan, near Belfast, last evening. Two youths, named George Halliday (15), of the reason for their detention was the absence of Dail Eireann passports, which are not issued except on the grounds of ill-health.

Yesterday 20 intending passengers to America were detained pending the decision of the Dail Eireann Home Office.

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EFFECT OF SHIPPING DISPUTE.

It was reported at South Shields last night that another ship-repairing contract had been diverted to the Continent for completion, owing to the shipyard stoppage, which means a loss of several thousand pounds in wages.

SNIPERS' BUSY DAY.

13 MORE VICTIMS.

MANY FAMILIES EVICTED.

WOMEN LOOT SHOPS.

From early morning until late at night snipers were busy yesterday in Belfast. Altogether they secured thirteen victims, only one of whom, however, was wounded mortally. One sniper was killed by the military.

Most of the casualties occurred in the Marrowbone area. Several shops were looted, and it is reported that many families have been evicted.

At about 7.30 a.m. shots were fired from Beechfield street in the direction of Thompson street, in the Ballymacarrett district, and James Greer, aged 67, of 71 Seaforde street, a Roman Catholic, was shot in the leg.

Throughout the morning there was sniping in the Marrowbone area. This area consists of three or four streets, inhabited by Roman Catholics, situated between the Old Park road and Crumlin road, which are Protestant areas. Military are in control in the district, and they replied to the sniping, which was fairly constant, both into and out of the Marrowbone area during the morning.

In the course of the firing a fourteen year old boy, John Hyland, of 173 Leopold street, received a gunshot wound in the face. He is a Protestant.

Captain Pender, of the Norfolk Regiment, was wounded in the chest.

Daniel Lanigan, 38 Rosebank street, a Protestant, was wounded in the arm.

Robert Toan, aged 21, of 103 Bristol street, received a gunshot wound in the right arm while walking on the Crumlin road.

James Cassidy, who resides at 7 Banpark street, was also in the vicinity of the Crumlin road, when he received a bullet wound in the eye.

George Duffy, aged 27, of Balkan street, a Roman Catholic labourer, was assaulted during the morning by several men, and received injuries to the head.

HOUSES SET ON FIRE.

FIRE BRIGADE'S PLUCK.

The situation in the Marrowbone area became more serious during the afternoon. A feature of the disturbance was a renewal of attacks on houses by mobs, who attempted to set them on fire. The military were able to keep the mob back to some extent, but a crowd of youths got out of hand in Saunderson street, where two or three houses were fired. The Fire Brigade were summoned, and two detachments from Ardoyne and Shankill road Stations arrived, and succeeded in saving the buildings from complete destruction. The firemen in effecting this had a difficult task in coping with the outbreak while bullets were whizzing over their heads.

During the excitement caused by the fires disorderly elements attacked and looted a number of shops.

A small shop on the Old Park road was raided by about twenty youths and several women. When the military on foot began to approach the looters retreated hastily, but when the military were again out of sight the thieves returned, and the loot was scattered about broadcast.

Shortly before five o'clock a soldier was hit by a sniper in Ewards row, and was removed to the Military Hospital in a serious condition. He belongs to the Norfolk Regiment.

There were several other casualties. These included a young man named John McMahon, Mayfair street, who was shot in the abdomen; Thomas Murray, Hanna street, who received a gunshot wound in the left leg, and Agnes T. McLarnon, Arran street, who received a bullet wound in the thigh.

SNIPER SHOT DEAD.

Firing was continued in the Marrowbone area last night, and the military had a difficult task in dealing with the activities of the snipers.

A patrol succeeded in locating one sniper, and shot him dead. He has not been identified.

The night's casualties included:—

William Johnston (27), of 100 Louisa street, who received terrible wounds and died in hospital.

James Smith (14), 40 Mayfair street, shot in the head.

John Dillon (12), 8 Parkview street, wounded in the head and shoulder.

Peter McKernin, 55 Ardilee street, shot in the arm.

Bernard Hagan, 18 Glenpark, wounded in hand and leg.

EVICTIONS.

Many people in the Marrowbone area were evicted from their homes last night. It is stated that nearly 40 Roman Catholic families have been compelled to remove from the district, and it is known that several Protestant families have been dispossessed.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

LOOTERS WITH BARREL OF PORTER.

Following the looting of public-houses in the Marrowbone and Crumlin road districts on Monday night, there were several cases heard at the Belfast Police Court yesterday. Three men named Walsh, Corr, and McGivern, were charged with the theft of a barrel of porter.

The constable who made the arrest said that the prisoners were rolling the barrel along the street at midnight, an hour after Curfew, and they ran it right into his legs. They were remanded in custody.

Ten men were arrested in a house in Disraeli street, Crumlin road district, on Monday night. The prisoners included the occupier of the house, Robert McCullough, and his two sons. The police assert that they were having a spree with porter and whiskey stolen from the publichouse of Owen Teggart, as some of the porter bottles bore his name.

The police found on the premises two Lee-Enfield rifles, 87 rounds of ammunition, and an 18-pounder shell. All the accused were remanded in custody for a week.

ARRESTS IN A SHOP.

STORY OF A BELFAST RAID.

An attempted robbery by three armed men at the confectionery shop of Miss Minnie Mills, Whitla street, Belfast, on Monday, had a sequel in the Police Court yesterday, when Samuel Peters, of Henry street, who was arrested with two other men in the premises, was charged with assault and the illegal possession of a revolver. A crowd which collected released the other two men from the hands of the police, but did not succeed in releasing Peters, who, it was stated, had in his possession his identity card as a "C" class Special constable and some coppers.

Constable Devlin said that Constable Michael Sullivan and himself went to the shop, the door of which was banged in their faces. They then burst the door open, and, going to the rear of the premises, saw three men trying to get over the yard wall. One man was almost over the wall, and Constable Sullivan fired a shot at him. The witness caught one of the other men, who was Samuel Peters. The prisoners resisted violently, and a number of men rushed forward and dragged the other prisoners away. Other police arrived on the scene, and they brought Peters to Henry street barracks, a few doors from Peters' residence. When arrested the accused said, "I was in buying fruit when the holding gang came in and put me into the kitchen. I had no revolver; never had."

The constable added that the occupier of the house did not tell him that the accused was in the shop buying fruit.

Mr. Tughan, for the defence, said that there was no evidence to show that his client was ever in possession of the revolver.

Police Inspector Deignan—When you hear the other constable it will alter matters.

The accused was remanded in custody for a week.

ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY.

The King has consented that the Northern police forces shall be called the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

AGED WOMAN MURDERED.

A terrible crime, which is believed to be the act of a madman, was perpetrated in the Churchill district of County Donegal early on Monday morning, the victim being Bella Gallagher, who was over seventy years of age. The crime was carried out with brutal callousness. No political significance is attached to the crime. It is stated that an ex-soldier has been taken into custody by Republican police in the district.

NATIONAL SCHOOLS.

THE NEW PROGRAMME.

TEACHING OF IRISH.

A new programme of primary instruction in Ireland has been prepared by the National Programme Conference, under the authority of Dail Eireann, and issued by direction of the Ministry of Education to the managers and teachers of Irish National schools for adoption provisionally from the beginning of the next school year, 1922-23.

In the introduction to the programme it is pointed out that in approaching the question of the primary school curriculum the Conference had as its main idea the remedying of the two outstanding defects in the existing programme.

These were, briefly, that the programme contained altogether too many obligatory subjects, virtually no freedom of choice of subjects being left to the teacher; and that the Irish language, which, it was evident, the vast majority of the Irish people wished to have taught to their children, was placed in a subordinate position on the programme, and, except in a few "bilingual" schools, was not classed among the obligatory subjects. In addition, the programme, generally speaking, was felt to be out of harmony with national ideals and requirements.

In the new programme the most notable changes adopted are the elimination of drawing, elementary science, cookery and laundry, needlework (in the lower standards), and hygiene and nature study as formal obligatory subjects; the modification of the programme in history and geography (which now constitute but one subject), in singing and drill, and the raising of the status of the Irish language, both as a school subject and as an instrument of instruction.

It was decided at an early stage of the proceedings, the programme states, that in the case of schools where the majority of the parents of the children object to having either Irish or English taught as an obligatory subject, their wishes should be complied with.

No recommendation is made regarding the allotment of time to the various subjects, other than to state that in schools where it is as yet impracticable to introduce the programme in its entirety each pupil shall receive instruction in Irish for at least one hour per day as an ordinary school subject.

The question of grouping is left to the discretion of the teacher. Teachers are at liberty to draw up, and submit for the approval of the Education authority, special programmes to suit the circumstances of their individual schools; but all such programmes must be framed along the lines of the national programme.

OBJECT OF THE SCHEME.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

An official statement, issued from the National Education Office, Dublin, says:—

"This programme, prepared by the National Programme Conference, under the authority of Dail Eireann, is now issued, by direction of the Ministry of Education, for adoption provisionally by Irish National Schools from the beginning of the next school year, 1922-23. Meanwhile, it will be open to managers and teachers to modify the present courses of instruction so as to bring them gradually into conformity with the new programme.

"The programme represents a new starting point in the history of primary education in Ireland. It is hoped that the opening of a new epoch in our educational history, considerable allowance is made for local initiative.

"At the outset it is important that everything should be done to render the school life and the school surroundings as pleasant as possible for both teachers and pupils; and it is hoped that it will now be possible, with the assistance of organised local effort, to have rapid progress made in this direction.

"The pupils, during their school course, should be encouraged to take part in Irish games, in Feiseanna and other functions organised by national bodies, and to acquire the habit of supporting the products of their own country.

"Every school will be expected as a part of the preparation of the pupils for the duties and responsibilities of citizenship to include in their reading courses matter showing the damage done by intemperance to health and character, and the resultant loss to the nation as a whole.

TOWARDS THE LAND.

"Our primary education, as well as being Irish in outlook, should also be such as to turn the minds and efforts of the bulk of the pupils in rural schools towards the land of Ireland and the great agricultural industry on which, for generations to come, the economic life of the nation will be based. In selecting literature for reading in the schools, books which tend to develop the pupils' interest in the land, in the pleasures of country life, in the production of crops, in the rearing of herds, should, where available, be given an important place.

"In the case of schools in cities and large towns, the pupils' attention should be directed to the industries that exist, they should be stimulated by talks relating to Irish craftsmanship in the past, by visits to factories, workshops, industrial exhibitions, and museums, to take a lively interest in the industrial life around them, and to recognise that this is the life to the building of which the majority of them will naturally be called.

"To assist the managers and teachers of Ireland, this programme is now forwarded in the sure hope that every effort will be made to have it successfully worked in the schools."

STABILISING CURRENCY.

EXPERTS' RECOMMENDATIONS.

GENOA, Monday.

The Committee of Experts this evening issued a report declaring that the essential requisite for the reconstruction of Europe is the stabilisation of currency. The report adds that the banks should be free from political pressure, and that currency reform would be facilitated by the continuous co-operation of central banks. It therefore suggest an early meeting of central bankers.

The European currencies should be based upon a common standard, and gold is the only standard which all could now adopt. Europe should decide in favour of a gold standard, and upon measures to achieve it.

The report declares that it is most important that States should balance annual expenditure without the creation of fresh credits, and that reduction of expenditure is the true remedy.

The next step is to fix the gold value of the monetary unit, when circumstances permit. In addition to the collaboration of the banks, an international convention should be adopted to centralise the demand for gold and to avoid fluctuations in the purchasing power of gold, while the convention should harmonise in the use of gold.

No scheme could be fully effective without the co-ordination of Europe and the United States.

DOUBLE SHOOTING CASE.

DISCOVERY AT SALISBURY.

A shocking discovery was made at Salisbury yesterday. A boy had been asked to leave some eggs at a house in Highbury avenue, but, receiving no answer to his knocks, he unfastened the kitchen window, drew up the blind, and found Mrs. Case, wife of the occupier, dead in a chair, with blood on her dress. Apparently she had been shot.

The police forced an entrance, and found the woman's husband, George Case, also lying dead. Both husband and wife were over sixty years of age.

The discovery created a sensation in the district, where Case had been an object of much sympathy on account of his wife's long mental illness. She was rarely seen out of doors, and seemed to be rather peculiar. Doctors had been called in, but declined to certify her as insane.

When the police forced the back door of the house, they found the body of Mr. Case lying against it, with a sporting gun close by.

An inquest is being arranged for to-day.

BOLSHEVISTS IN TURKESTAN.

ALLAHABAD, Tuesday.

According to the *Pioneer*, reports from Kabul indicate that the Bolshevists are taking active measures against Enver Pasha and his followers. They claim to have captured strategic points in Bokhara, and to have repaired the Samarkhand-Bokhara Railway at Kermineh.

ORDER IN ANGORA.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Tuesday.

The Italian Government has notified the representative of the Angora Government here, in order to give proof of its cordial feelings, that it has decided to withdraw the Italian troops from Meander Valley, being convinced that the rights of minorities will be respected.—(Reuter.)

FROM TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

GLOVE MYSTERY.

BOARD OF TRADE SILENCE.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

The failure of the Board of Trade to give any sign of its decision in regard to the application for the scheduling of glove fabric and fabric gloves under the Safeguarding of Industries Act has been the subject of much comment in trade circles for some time. Week after week has gone by, but all attempts in Parliament and out to obtain an official statement as to whether the industry is, or is not, to be safeguarded against dumping have failed.

As there are good grounds for believing that the Committee which held the inquiry in December reported favourably, the delay in issuing a statement has appeared inexplicable to manufacturers. Meanwhile, the trade has been thrown into no little confusion as the result of the uncertainty. Importers are as much perplexed as manufacturers. A clear statement of the intentions of the Board of Trade is urgently necessary in the interests of the whole trade. Fully convinced that the anti-dumping legislation would be enforced, foreign exporters have pressed large supplies of fabric gloves on the British market since December.

DUPED.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S NOTE.

The Times, in a leading article on the subject of the new German-Bolshevist Treaty and the Note which has been drawn up at Genoa for despatch to Germany, observes:—The Bolshevists apparently are to escape even from the anodyne penalty inflicted on their new Allies. Mr. Lloyd George has, indeed, admitted that they are not free from blame, but he has sought throughout to distinguish their case from that of the Germans. He has proposed no Note for them, and, of course, no sanction for their relatively venial offence. They appear to have based no excuses for them on the fact that, unlike Germany, they are not parties to the Treaty of Versailles.

Unfortunately, Allied experts at Genoa are said to have reported that the signature of the present Treaty is not a breach of the Treaty of Versailles. The Germans, as well as the Bolshevists, have accepted the famous resolution, Mr. Lloyd George himself has affirmed that they have, both in the House of Commons and before the Conference, and he has justified the presence of the Bolshevists at Genoa on the express principle. How, then, does their case differ from that of their German confederates against whom Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Lloyd George's Note inveigh with such severity? Have they not been guilty of the same ingratitude and of the same duplicity? Every charge in the Genoa Note applies equally to the two accomplices.

The rumour from other sources, which receives a certain measure of confirmation from *Der Radheau*, that members of the British delegation knew about the Treaty beforehand, if the Prime Minister did not, may be denied as "formally and absolutely" on their behalf as on that of their chief. But that his persistent sympathies with the Government of those eminent figures of the terror, "whose unaltered principles he has so often denounced, have something to do with his attempt to throw blame for the Treaty upon the Allies and

he should be able to present his difficulties, instead of trying to hide every weakness lest he might get an adverse report. (Laughter.)

UNIVERSITY TRAINING.

University training for teachers had occupied the attention of the Executive. They highly appreciated the start which Trinity College had made in this direction. (Applause.)

They had approached the authorities in the other universities, and they were hopeful that in the immediate future their training colleges would be affiliated to the universities, so that, through the teacher, the advantages of university education, training and culture might reach the youth of their country.

In that way only could a university claim to be truly national. The superiority of the Scottish educational system was largely due to the fact that very many of their teachers, both primary and secondary, were graduates of their universities. The atmosphere of their schools was more educational, as the children were instructed by men and women who had received a liberal education.

It was between the elementary and secondary schools that they found the greatest necessity for linking up by a system of scholarships and bursaries, thus creating an avenue for the many, not a ladder for the few, and thus providing facilities for all, irrespective of class, who were intellectually able and so disposed to take advantage of a higher education.

PENSIONS.

In the matter of pensions, the teachers were unfairly dealt with by the Imperial Parliament. After the salary settlement they approached the Government on the pension question, and were informed that responsibility for pensions would be thrown on the Irish Legislatures which they proposed to set up.

That was not fair either to the teachers or the Irish people. It was understood that pensions were to date from 1st April, 1919. It was evident that the new Legislatures could not be expected to take a responsibility on them which dated back to a period before they came into existence.

They must now look to the Irish Administration, and they sincerely hoped that in settling this question the teachers about to retire would get the benefit of the new salary scales in their pension.

They required a new Compulsory Attendance Act. Ireland, from the point of view of school attendance, presented a sad spectacle as contrasted with England and Scotland. While Ireland only showed about 69 per cent. attendance of the children on rolls, Scotland reached about 86 per cent. But the position was worse than it appeared from the figure, because there was a large number of children of school-going age whose names did not appear on the Irish rolls. If these were taken into account, it was safe to say that the average would not reach 60 per cent. They sincerely hoped that the new education authorities would deal with this urgent question at an early date.

The last few years had left their country torn with dissension; political, and in some cases religious, animosity had been at fever heat, but they could congratulate themselves that the I.N.T.O. stood as it always stood—a platform broad enough for all creeds and classes. On the great question of education they had stood united. (Applause.)

NEW EXECUTIVE.

The President announced that the following members of the Central Executive Council and Finance Committee had been returned unopposed:—President, Mr. Cormac Walsh, Dublin; Principals' Representatives, Northern District, Mr. J. E. M'Nelis; Southern District, Mr. Mansfield.

Assistant' Representatives—Southern District, Mr. C. P. Murphy; Eastern District, Mr. P. J. Quinn; Western District, Mr. D. F. Courell.

Finance Committee—Southern District, Mr. Kearney; Western District, Mr. P. J. Parker.

The following were elected as the result of a ballot:—

Vice-President—Mr. D. A. Meehan, Mountrath, by a majority of 1,867. The defeated candidates were J. J. Ryan (Clare North) 1,371 votes; D. Breen (Cork City) 774 votes.

District Representative (principal) Northern District, P. Neilly (Ballymena) by 166 votes over P. M'Bride (Gweedore and Rosses).

Eastern District—Principal, Thomas Frisby (Kilkenny) elected by 340 votes over P. McEntee (Monaghan).

Western District—Principal, Hugh O'Donnell (Boyle) elected by 278 votes over W. P. Ward (Ballinasloe) and J. F. Collins (Ennis).

ATTENDANCE.

Mr. Cormac Walsh, the newly-elected President of the organisation, was introduced to the Congress, and was received with hearty applause. Having first addressed the Congress in Irish, he said, speaking in English, that he would like to refer to the question of attendance at schools. Within the past twelve months the Government had introduced a programme which would be used and later. But that programme could not be carried out unless the question of attendance was taken up by the administrative powers.

In Germany the average school attendance was 99 per cent., and Japan came next with 98 p.c. There was also in Germany compulsory school attendance up to the age of 14 years. In Scotland they had in the Orkney Islands a school attendance of 100 per cent. They might have in Ireland a most excellent programme, but with a school-leaving age of 12 years and an average school attendance of 69 p.c. he asked anyone—he asked the public, he asked their T.D.'s—how could they hope that education could be done under these conditions? (Applause.)

They heard a good deal about progress and prosperity, but Ireland could attain nothing without the trained hand and mind of the citizen. (Applause.) He, therefore, appealed to the "Powers that be" to introduce a bill at the earliest possible moment for compulsory school attendance, and unless they did that, their programme would prove fruitless.

Mr. D. A. Meehan, the newly-elected Vice-President, also returned thanks.

FAITHFUL SERVICE.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. David Elliott, B.A., J.P., Belfast, the retiring treasurer of the organisation, for his long and valued services.

Mr. Elliott, in returning thanks, said that so far as the National Teachers were concerned, they were, and always had been, united in Belfast. Some of his friends differed from him in religion and politics, and they had only one aim—to advance the cause of education and of the teachers. (Applause.) He regretted that his advancing years necessitated his retirement.

The Congress went into private session for the remainder of the day.

SECTARIAN STRIFE.

RESOLUTIONS OF PROTEST.

Protestant congregations in various parts of the South of Ireland continue to pass resolutions concerning acts of violence and sectarian strife.

The Castlecomer Easter Vestry heartily endorsed the recent pronouncement of the Archbishops and Bishops of the Church of Ireland on the present state of Ireland. They condemned in the most unqualified manner all sectional and sectarian bitterness and acts of violence which have disgraced the fair name of the country.

The Ernestown Vestry of the united parishes of Dunshaughlin and Ballymagibbon signed the Southern Protestants' Appeal, which expresses abhorrence of sectarian bitterness and recent horrible reprisals, and appeals for the maintenance of the friendly relations which have existed between members of the different religious bodies.

The Select Vestry of the Union of Kells and Burnchurch passed a resolution, expressing abhorrence at the recent murders and acts of violence perpetrated on their fellow-countrymen in Belfast, and wishing it to be understood how keenly they of the minority deplore this intolerance against their Roman Catholic fellow-countrymen. Friendly relations had always existed between the Protestants of that parish and their Roman Catholic neighbours, and they trusted that these relations would always be maintained.

DEATH OF CANON WALSH.

The death, which occurred unexpectedly in Waterford, of the Very Rev. John Canon Walsh, P.P., Ballymun, Enniscorthy, has caused deep regret in the Diocese of Ferns. A native of South Wexford, the deceased clergyman was born in 1862, and made his ecclesiastical studies in St. Peter's College, Wexford, where he was ordained in 1885. His first curacy was at Tomerath, where he remained until 1901, when he was appointed parish priest of Ballymun. In politics he was a strong supporter of the constitutional movement. The interment, which was largely attended, took place at Crossabeg on Sunday.

HISTORIC HALL DAMAGED.

Several thousand pounds damage was done by fire at Edenthorpe Hall, the well-known Yorkshire residence of Mr. Edenthorpe Hall is situated a few miles from Doncaster, and formerly belonged to Earl Fitzwilliam. It was untenanted, and the fire destroyed part of the roof. Much of the historic building was saved.

The 1st Battalion, the North Staffordshire Regiment, from the Curragh, has not proceeded to Constantinople, as anticipated, but is remaining.

JOSSE COLLEGE, STEPHEN'S GREEN.

Successes since Jan. 1, 1921—Guinness' First Classes (4); Clerkships—All the appointments (6); Bank of Ireland—Male Clerkships, 28 appointments (with 1st place at last 2 exams.); Lady Clerkships, 7 appointments (with 1st place); Other Irish Banks—30 appointments. College Reopens on Wednesday, April 19.—(Advt.)

ALLIANCE NOT WANTED.

LABOUR STANDS ALONE.

ATTACK ON LIBERAL PARTY.

PARLEY WITH COMMUNISTS.

At its Conference in Nottingham yesterday, the Independent Labour Party decided against the proposal to form an alliance with the Independent Liberals. The subject was introduced by Mr. Whatmough (Bury), who proposed the following resolution:—"This Conference, in view of recent references to the possibility of a Liberal and Labour alliance, warns those who favour the suggestion of its utter futility, and declares that it will not be a party to any such alliance inside or outside the House of Commons. This Conference also declares that the organised political Labour movement has its special function, and only by resolutely maintaining its independence can it carry on the work for which it was established."

Mr. Whatmough said that the Conference last year rejected affiliation to the Moscow Internationale on questions of policy and method, and not on principles. The alliance with Liberals would be turned down, not on policy, but on deep-rooted, underlying questions of principle. (Cheers.)

Mr. C. P. Trevelyan strongly opposed an alliance with Liberalism. He said that the question might prove the real turning point in the fortunes of Labour. He did not argue that under no circumstances were Coalitions right, but all the omens were against them at the present time. In Germany there was a Coalition, and they saw the result on the German Socialist Party. There were two sides to politics—international and domestic. Europe was driving to the abyss, and it was argued that the only hope for a sane international policy was an anti-Coalition majority by a combination of Liberal and Labour. Supposing Liberals and Labour were allied, what had they to expect?

STATESMEN'S "PLASTERS."

"This world," said Mr. Trevelyan, "is not going to be redeemed by frightened statesmen, who are trying to put plasters on the sores which they themselves have created. Lloyd George is trying to do it, but he is not going to succeed. The Liberal statesmen, with whom we are asked to ally ourselves, are just as much responsible for the present position as the Coalition Chiefs."

"Those statesmen during the war made secret treaties which destroyed the possibility of Wilson's policy becoming the policy of the world. Lord Grey has come back into the Liberal Party, and his first act is trying to promote a French military alliance, which is the one certain thing that the Labour Party intends to oppose. If Europe is going to be redeemed internationally, it has got to be redeemed by men who are ready to take the action which will announce to the people of the world that the old *regime* is ended.

"If you have in the Government men like Lord Grey and Asquith no such action will be possible. Our only hope is that we ally ourselves with the Labour and Socialist Parties throughout Europe. What confidence are they going to have in us if we are going to ally ourselves with men who are responsible for the existing state of affairs?"

Mr. Trevelyan said that for foreign policy a Liberal-Labour alliance was impossible, but they turned to home politics, it was even less desirable. The Labour Party must establish a policy as the dominating factor in English progressive politics. Before it contemplated any alliance, it had got to dictate a policy.

The Independent Labour Party should induce the National Labour Party to lay down before the next election a definite programme continuing a certain number of things which the Labour Party would do n its first year of power, such as an understanding with Russia, the withdrawal of the Army from Ireland, the nationalisation of the mines, and a big bold land policy. Labour could become responsible for government, even though in the minority. They could do the work which they would do, and could say to the Liberals—"Take it or leave it."

NO DIFFERENCE.

Another Lancashire delegate said that there was no fundamental difference between Liberals and Tories. The object of the "Wee Frees" in seeking an alliance with Labour was not to overthrow the Coalition, but to rehabilitate the Liberal creed.

Mr. Short, of Leeds, said that they wanted an independent Labour Government, and not one made up of the scum of every political section.

Mr. Dolan, of Glasgow, declared that in Scotland the Independent Liberals were absolutely down and out.

The resolution was carried unanimously.

The liquor question was discussed at length, and a resolution in favour of prohibition was defeated by 174 votes to 132.

During a debate on unemployment, Mr. Ramsay Macdonald said that he was in Berlin last week. His hotel bill for six days amounted, on the English exchange, to 13s. 6d. In an English hotel his bill, living at the same standard, would have been five or six times that amount. Therefore, the English workman, living on the basis of that bill, would have required four or five times the income from his work to have kept him on the same standard of the German workman. That explained why there was so much unemployment, and why so many attempts were made to reduce wages in England.

The Conference discussed the question of disarmament, and passed a resolution recommending the general strike as a means of combating the threat of war.

A sharp discussion took place, on a resolution which advised the Executive to accept the affiliation of the Communist Party, provided that the latter were prepared to accept the principles and constitution of the Labour Party.

The Chairman said that the two parties were in communication on certain questions. If the Communists answered the questions satisfactorily, they would be admitted to the Party.

The resolution was defeated.

IRISH PEACE.

WEXFORD AND THE TREATY.

Public meetings, which were marked by good order and a spirit of great unanimity, were held in support of the Treaty in Enniscorthy and in several centres in North Wexford during the week-end. The speakers, who were everywhere cordially received, were Mr. Ernest Blythe, Mr. F. J. Little, solicitor, Dublin, and Mr. M. W. O'Reilly, Dublin.

At the Enniscorthy meeting, which was held on Saturday night in the Market Square, Mr. Thomas McCarthy, Chairman of the Urban Council, presided.

Mr. Blythe said that a more serious question than the acceptance or rejection of the Treaty was whether there was to be something in the nature of civil war in the country. They heard people talking about a basis for domestic peace. They could not have such a basis until the will of the people was recognised to be supreme. The right of any minority, whether in the army or out of it, to coerce the people could not be admitted.

Messrs. Little and O'Reilly also spoke.

About two hours after the meeting Mr. O'Reilly, one of the speakers, was arrested at his hotel by members of the I.R.A. under the new Executive, and taken to their headquarters in the Courthouse, in connection with a statement which, it is understood, he was alleged to have made in the course of his address. He was liberated after about two hours. A local journalist was also questioned by the I.R.A. in connection with the same matter, but was not detained.

Mr. Thomas McCarthy and Mr. Blythe addressed meetings on Easter Sunday at Ferns and Blackwater, and Messrs. Little and O'Reilly spoke at Bunclody, Kilrush, and Ballyduff.

SHOPBREAKING CHARGE.

For, as alleged, feloniously breaking and entering the lock-up shop of Messrs. Becker Bros., South Great George's street, and having unlawfully in their possession housebreaking implements, Michael Brophy (35), labourer, Upper Gloucester st.; John Carolin (49), dealer, Great Longford street, and Martin Kavanagh (42), labourer, Cuffe street, were yesterday remanded in custody by Mr. Collins, in South Dublin Police Court. It was stated that the prisoners had forced the outer door of the premises, and were in the act of forcing an inner door, leading into the shop, when they were arrested by the police.

Two officers and a marine were killed at Quantico, Maryland, yesterday afternoon, when two aeroplanes taking part in battle practice locked their wings in mid-air, and crashed to the ground.

HIBERNIAN BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Result of March exam., just announced. Successful from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin:—Messrs. T. K. Behan, M. Caden, W. S. Freeland, W. Henry, J. Lynch, D. McAuliffe, F. D. McDonnell, D. M. Murphy. —(Advt.)

UNPURCHASED ESTATES.

NEW LAND LEAGUE FORMED.

A land league of tenants on unpurchased estates in Ireland was formed at a convention of representatives of such tenants, held yesterday in Dublin. About thirty representatives were in attendance from various estates.

Mr. Edward Mausfield, Cullen, Tipperary, who presided, pointed out that for the last twelve or eighteen years the unpurchased tenants had been paying higher rents than the general body of tenants in Ireland, and had to compete with others who were far better circumstanced. Land purchase had been financed by the general community in this country, and not by the landlords, or by England.

Having discussed at length the respective Land Acts, and criticised their provisions from the financial standpoint, he suggested as the basis of a scheme of purchase a bonus of 12½ per cent. The unpurchased tenants should from themselves select a committee to report to a further convention, and that, if necessary, their representatives should have the assistance of experts or financial advisers. They could formulate a scheme, after going into the whole question, taking into account what was fair to the tenants, not unfair to the landlords, and just to the State.

OWNERSHIP.

Mr. P. Corcoran (Tullamore) said that the lands had been unjustly acquired by force from their rightful owners by the landlords, and it was for the Republican Government, now that the British force was gone, to do what lay in their power to give the land back to the rightful owners. They should pay no rent until the question had been satisfactorily settled.

Mr. A. Elliott (Hill of Down) said that they would require a reduction of 5s. in the £ if they were to be placed on a basis of equality with their neighbours.

The Chairman said that if they had an established Government they would have to consider things as they found them. It would now be very hard to discover who was originally robbed, as estates had been confiscated two or three times.

Mr. W. O'B. Hishon suggested that those present should form themselves into a committee to discuss the whole matter, and prepare their programme.

It was proposed by Mr. Egan (Ferbane), and seconded by Mr. Thomas Kenny (Belmont), that no rent should be offered or paid until such time as the Government settled the matter.

Mr. Hishon said that it was out of the question that they could formulate a policy that day for the unpurchased tenants.

Some delegates said that it was ridiculous to suggest that they should pay no rent, one remarking that the tenants on his estate were most anxious to pay the rent, and that he had had difficulty in restraining them from doing so.

The resolution to pay no rent was carried unanimously.

A NEW LEAGUE.

It was decided to form an organisation of unpurchased tenants, to be known as the Land League, to ensure that the interests of the tenants should be properly protected.

The Chairman said that as there were roughly 6,000,000 acres still unpurchased in Ireland, the meeting was not in a position to declare a policy, but rather to make suggestions.

Mr. Hishon said that they should act themselves, independently of any other union, in the matter.

A Committee was appointed to draft a constitution for the League, and consider future procedure.

BANTRY TENANTS AND RENTS.

The unpurchased tenants in the Bantry district held a large meeting in Bantry, and decided to demand 50, 55, and 60 *per cent.* reduction on the rents which were payable last month, and on future rents, until purchase takes place. The rents are first, second, and third term rents.

FATHER MATHEW FEIS.

INTERESTING COMPETITIONS.

Yesterday's Feis Competitions in the Father Mathew Hall, Church street, were confined to preparatory and junior violin, junior piano, harpsichord, "Humours of Bandon," English recitation (Div. 2), and soprano solo contests.

There were eight entries in the junior violin contest, adjudicated by Mr. John Moody. The playing in this competition, in some cases, was of a very high standard. The 1st prize winner, Miss Hannah Spiro, 25 St. Kevin's road, Dublin, in the words of the adjudicator, played "very beautifully," and attained to the percentage of 95. The 2nd prize winner, Miss Rachel Isaacson, 13 St. Kevin's road, was very good, and was granted 84 per cent. of the marks. Master Willie Carey, The Camp Park, Phibsboro', was highly commended. The piece set was much more difficult than those set at previous contests.

For the preparatory violin contest, there were nine entries. Mr. Moody, who also adjudicated in this competition, thought that the standard displayed was fair. Eva Thuillier, 2 South Summer street, N.C.R., was awarded the first prize. For the second prize there was a tie between Miss Hope Kirkpatrick, 129 Laurence street, Drogheda, and Miss Gabriel May Macdonald (aged 11 years), Phœnix Park. The standard attained in this competition was also very high.

The two violin (duet) competition was highly satisfactory. The 1st prize fell to Messrs. Kierse and J. Cheatle, and consisted of a silver medal and a diploma.

Mrs. O'Connell Miley adjudicated at the junior piano competition, for which there were 26 entries. The competition was, she said, a very interesting one. The 1st prize winner, Miss Lilian M. Connolly, Fernville, Glasnevin, gave one of the best displays that she (Mrs. Miley) had ever heard from a child in her grade. The 2nd prize was won by Miss Winifred Mackay, 23 Oxmantown road, N.C.R. Miss Lily Casey, 35 Cabra Park, Phibsboro', was highly commended.

There were 23 entries in the "Humours of Bandon" dance, adjudicated by Mr. Joseph Dooley and Miss Kathleen Wright. Many of the entrants had no idea of rhythm. In some cases, the dancing was very heavy, almost approaching clog-dancing. Those, however, who did well, had in them the poetry of motion, and their dancing was deserving of praise. Mr. Dooley was pleased to see that more competitors were wearing the national dress this year than in previous years. The 1st prize was won by Miss Rowe's pupils, 77 Seaforth Villas, Sandymount—May Gough, Agnes Smyth, Mary Gough, and Winnie Timmins. The 2nd prize was also won by Miss Rowe's pupils—Anthony Hopkins, Kathleen Rowe, and James McDonnell. Miss Murtagh's pupils, Our Lady's Mount, Harold's Cross, were highly commended.

The standard displayed in the hornpipe competition, adjudicated by Mr. Joseph Dooley and Miss Kathleen Wright, was considered very good. A disparaging comment, however, was made on the shortness of the skirts and dresses worn by some of the competitors. Miss Vera Nolan (Miss Medlor's School of Irish Dancing) was the 1st prize. There was a tie for the 2nd prize between Miss M. McBride (Miss Medlor's School of Irish Dancing) and Master George Leonard (Miss Murtagh's pupil), 31 Lower Dorset street. In this contest there were 48 entries.

The recitation in English (Div. 2) competition proved successful, the standard attained by the majority of the competitors being very high. An outstanding feature of this competition was the attainment of full marks by the 1st prize winner, Miss Nora Foley, Dominican College, Eccles street, Dublin. Miss Una Murphy, Holy Faith Convent, Coombe, secured the 2nd prize.

The soprano interval contest of the day was the soprano competition, for which there were 33 entries. The adjudicators were Miss Mary Maguire and Messrs. C. P. Trevelyan and Walter Kelly. The song set was Goring Thomas' "To Welcome You" (Novello). Mr. O'Dwyer, speaking for the adjudicators, said that some of the voices were good, but the vocalisation was often indifferent. The competitors could have brought their voices to a greater degree of perfection if they had joined some choral society, but, unfortunately, these societies were not easily found in Ireland. As societies were not easily found in Ireland. As societies were not easily found in Ireland. As

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THURSDAY, 27th APRIL, 1922,
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AUCTION SALE OF VERY SUPERIOR ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, CARPETS, ETC., ALL IN FINE BRIGHT CONDITION, comprising briefly:—ANTIQUE FURNITURE—Chippendale Side-Front Secretary Bookcase; Falling-Front Bureau; Low 6ft. Break-Front 4-door Diamond Pane Bookcase; Tall 4ft. Mahog. Mahog. Hall Chest, Carved Legs and Shell Ornament; Hall Bench; Chippendale Frustrum; Inlaid Hall Chairs, Settee, Grandfather Mahog. Hall Clock, with Barometer, etc.; Brass Inlaid; Mahog. 6ft. Enclosed Pedestal Sideboard, Claw Feet; Mahog. 3-Tier Waiters; Nelson Falling-Leaf and Side Tables; Oval Pillar and Claw and Work Tables; Sheraton Taper-Leg Settee and Grandfather Easy Chair; Hepplewhite and other Chairs; Mahog. Circular P. and C. Writing Table; 3 Persian Rugs; Gilt Ormolu and China French Figure Clock; Walnut Hall Table, end of 4000 Gilded Cornice Table and Mirror; Gentleman's carved Chippendale Wardrobe, Claw Feet, with Pair of Modern Chippendale Duchesse Toilet Tables to match; Antique Chests of Drawers, enclosed Washstands and Toilet Wares; Carved Brass Fenders. OTHER FURNITURE AND EFFECTS INCLUDE—Modern Walnut Writing Desk; Walnut Oven and Revolving Bookcases; Hall and Parlour Stands and Coats; Mah. Telescope Dinner Table; 12 Mahog. Dining Chairs in Morocco; Dumb Waiters; Chesterfield and other Couches; Divan and Drawingroom Easy and Inlaid Occasional Chairs; Rosewood Sofas and other Tables; Carton Pierre, White Enamel China Cabinet; Linen and Gilt Mirrors; Arm Chairs; Music Canterbury; Oil Paintings, Water Colours and L.S.C. Engravings; Fine Wilton Axminster and Brussels Room and Stair Carpets; Rugs and Poolin, Plush and Lace Curtains; Copper Coal Boxes; Brass Standard Lamp; Lustres and Ornaments; 4ft. Bedroom Suite, in Sallywood, with Mahogany Birch and Ash—Wardrobes and Linen Presses, Duchess Toilet Tables and Chests of Drawers; Dining Stand; Toilet Ware; Mahog. Cheval Glass; Stretcher and Chair Beds; All Brass and 3ft. and 4ft. Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses; Blankets, Quilts, and Bedding; Furniture of 3 Maids' Rooms; Linoleums; Dinner Service; Table, Glass and China; Plated Dish Covers; Kitchen Dresser, Drawers; Furniture and Utensils; Knife Cleaner; Lawn Mower and Tools, Step Ladder; Perpetual Ice Box; Books, etc. On View WEDNESDAY, 26th APRIL, from 11 till 5. SALE THURSDAY, 27th, and following day, at 12 o'clock sharp. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

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